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Where fire started

James Morgan, who first discovered the fire in the LacBleu Apartments, points out the place in his hallway where he thinks the fire originated. Other pictures inside section A.

Rocketdyne activating Mississippi facilities

BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS. — A group of 21 highly skilled engineers and technicians from Rockwell International Corporation's Rocketdyne Division have arrived at NASA's National Space Technology Laboratories (NSTL) in Bay St. Louis, Miss., to activate facilities for testing of the Space Shuttle Main Engine.

Rocketdyne, the nation's leading producer of large liquid-fueled rocket engines, will build up its work force to approximately 175 in late 1977 at NASA's Mississippi site where the 470,000-pound-thrust main engine will undergo both sea level and altitude static testing.

First tests of the engine which Rocketdyne is producing under contract to NASA's Marshall Space Flight

Center are scheduled in the spring of 1975.

The Space Shuttle Main Engine is the most advanced liquid-fueled rocket engine ever produced in this country. It is a liquid-hydrogen, liquid-oxygen-fueled engine which must be capable of being reused, having a total burn time of seven and one-half hours.

Three of the engines will be used in the orbiter stage of the Space Shuttle vehicle. They will be ignited at time of launch, together with two large solid propellant boosters, and will continue to power the vehicle into orbit after the solid boosters shut down, separate, and are lowered by parachute into the ocean for recovery.

The test stands at NSTL were originally built by NASA for testing

Saturn rocket stages used in the Apollo lunar landing program, and have been modified for this additional role in the Space Shuttle program. Rocketdyne also produced for NASA the F-1 and J-2 Saturn engines which launched all of the Apollo missions.

Rockwell International is a major multi-industry company applying advanced technology to a wide range of products in its aerospace, automotive, consumer, electronics and industrial operations.

Fine was released Monday on \$7,500 bond.

State news in brief

Supports teachers

Governor Bill Waller said this week he supported the recommendations of the Quality Education Committee which called for raising teacher salaries, career education, an expanded lay Board of Education, property tax equalization, and raising the 25 mill limitation that prevents counties from providing more support for education.

Waller said he felt the state could provide money for teacher pay raises and improvements in the educational system if "we can get some help from the local level."

The Committee voted to require that raises be granted only to school districts that provide a seven percent supplement to teacher pay.

Crops down

Wet fields over much of the state prevented many farmers from completing the harvest of their crops last week. The cold weather continues to slow the growth of winter grazing.

The 1974 cotton crop is currently forecast to fall 150,000 bales less than the 1,800,000 bales produced in 1973 and 357,000 bales below that produced in 1972. An estimated 88 percent of the crop acreage has been harvested.

Other Mississippi crops are also reported down from 1973. Pecan growers are reporting a decrease of 2.0 million pounds from the Oct. 1 forecast and 16 million pounds below the 1973 crop, while soybeans as of Nov. 1 estimates are expected to be down 12,050,000 bushels (19.9 percent) from the record high of 60,500,000 bushels produced in 1973.

No slack

JACKSON - Kenneth W. Fairly, director of the Mississippi Bureau of Narcotics, stated this week that despite any movement for decriminalization of the marijuana laws, the Bureau will vigorously enforce the state drug statutes as written.

"Mississippians have sensible drug laws that are fair and just," Fairly said. "The laws are not too harsh, although some law breakers may be unhappy with them."

The 1972 legislature amended the Uniform Controlled Substances Act and provided a less severe penalty for the possession of less than an ounce.

Refuse city

Board declines resignation offer

Four members of the Bay St. Louis School Board politely refused an offer to submit resignations Tuesday night in an informal meeting with members of the Bay St. Louis City Council.

The resignation of one of the Bay St. Louis members of the five member Bay-Waveland School Board was sought by city officials of Bay St. Louis in an attempt to placate recent

Correction

The Sea Coast Echo incorrectly stated that Clarence H. Hall was recovering from gunshot wounds following Waveland, Miss. shooting incident with another black male Thanksgiving day.

The article should have read that Henry Paul Jordan, 23, of 304A Carnille Circle, victim of the shooting, was the one recovering from the incident.

Hall was charged with assault and battery following the shooting.

demands by the city of Waveland and mayor John Longo for more representation from that city on the board which serves the combined school district. Presently Waveland has only one member seated on the five member board.

At Monday's board meeting, Bay mayor Warren Carver and Finance Commissioner, Clarence Ladner, pledged efforts to seek the voluntary resignation of one of the Bay St. Louis appointees to the school board, but stressed that they had no power to force any resignation to equalize representation.

desired either a second member on the present board or a restructure of the entire board so that each municipality would have three members with the outside areas having one member.

While no Bay St. Louis appointee accepted the voluntary request to resign to make room for Waveland, the board indicated it would discuss the matter at its next regular meeting.

Lac Bleu Fire

Mixon objected to construction

by David Pierson

Pass Christian Fire Chief George Mixon said Tuesday that he had objected to the construction of the Lac Bleu apartments because he considered the apartment complex a potential fire trap.

"We made our feelings known that we didn't like how they (the Lac Bleu apartments) were being constructed," Mixon said. Mixon said, his protests were unheeded because the construction met the minimum safety specifications of HUD (Housing and Urban Development).

Last Saturday 21 Pass Christian firemen battled a pre-dawn fire for more than two hours at one unit of the Lac Bleu apartments in Pass Christian. All 20 persons who were inside the building at the time escaped without serious injury.

Mixon said that he objected to the construction of the Lac Bleu apartments because there was only one fire escape (a central stairway) and because there were no fire walls in the roof.

If there had been fire walls in the roof, he added, two of the four apartments could have been saved. People in the two upper apartments were lucky to escape, Mixon because the fire cut off escape routes from the building.

"We ended up losing two dogs," Mixon said, "but that could just as easily have been two people or even more."

Only two persons received injuries in the fire. Golman Ray, 38, a resident in the building was treated for smoke

inhalation, and Doug Howard, a volunteer fireman, received slight bruises when he fell through the bottom floor while fighting the fire.

Residents in the building reported smelling smoke at midnight and again at 12:30 a.m. One resident said later there was no power in the building at 3:30 a.m. A resident reported the fire an hour later.

James Morgan, who first detected the fire, told firemen he saw flames outside (Continued on Page 12-A)



Taken for a ride

(Photo by Adoree Shortie)

Having taken advantage of the free three-day bus service in the Hancock area, a Bay-Waveland area resident steps down to do his Christmas shopping. Totals released by the MCTA show that 1,376 other persons also took advantage of the trial run that was supposed to demonstrate the convenience of riding the bus.

MCTA releases ridership results

The Mississippi Coast Transit Authority reported a total ridership of 1,376 for its three-day experimental bus service last week in Hancock County.

The MCTA experiment, which cost the two municipalities and the county \$916 to be divided on a pro-rata basis, was conducted Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week in the Bay-Waveland area. The service was extended to provide less frequent service to the county. Two runs were made daily north to the Kiln area and two runs west to Clermont Harbor, Lakeshore, and Pearlington. The buses carried school children, shoppers and anyone wanting to take a free ride through the business districts of the two towns.

Col. Thomas Morris, executive director of the MCTA, evaluating the ridership figures, said, "The ridership was significant enough to show the people considered it. It does show that evidently somebody liked it."

Among those who liked the three-day experiment were children, and Col.

Morris said that they probably account for the large Saturday ridership figures in contrast with the two school day totals.

Contrary to what was reported in a local daily newspaper, Morris said he was not trying to prove "beyond all reasonable doubt" that the Hancock County area needed bus service.

"The object was to demonstrate how effective and how convenient and, in many cases, how necessary it is to have a mass transit system. i.e. a bus service."

Morris stressed he was not trying to prove anything but was trying to find out if Bay St. Louis, Waveland, and the county need a mass transit system.

Morris said buses that will service Pass Christian and Long Beach were ready for service and plans were to begin the bus service to the Long Beach-Pass Christian area at the beginning of the year. The buses could not run on a regular schedule before then, Morris said, because all of the specifics have not been completed.

	Bay-Waveland area	Bus No. 1	Bus No. 2	Total
Thursday	97	164	261	422
Friday	113	154	257	524
Saturday	335	258	333	926
Totals	545	576	1,121	2,242

Ridership	Clermont	Lakeshore	Total
County runs	Kiln area	Pearlington	
Thursday	25	32	57
Friday	36	43	79
Saturday	59	58	117
Totals	120	133	253

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DEATHS

MRS. SHARON JEAN FINE
Mrs. Sharon Jean Fine, 36, was pronounced dead on arrival at Hancock General Hospital Saturday afternoon, December 14.

Born March 3, 1938, in Cordova, Ala., she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Short of Cordova. She was a graduate of Cordova High School and a member of Bay St. Louis First Baptist Church where she was church organist. Mrs. Fine resided in Pineville Community for two years prior to moving to Waveland three years ago.

Survivors, in addition to her parents, are her husband Jimmy Ray Fine; two daughters, Ramona and Janice Fine, and two sons, James and Allen Fine, all of Waveland.

A service was held at 3 p.m. Sunday at Riemann-Fahey Funeral Home chapel with Rev. Nathan Barber, pastor First Baptist Church, officiating.

The body was sent from Riemann-Fahey Funeral Home to Collins Funeral Home, Jasper, Ala., for services and burial in Union Chapel Cemetery, Cordova.

CLETUS JOSEPH DONNER
Cletus Joseph Donner, 79, a resident of 316 Carroll Avenue, Bay St. Louis, died at 7:40 a.m. Sunday, December 15, at Hancock General Hospital.

Born July 7, 1895, in New Orleans, Mr. Donner had resided in Bay St. Louis for 16 years.

He was a retired painter for Industrial Electric Company, New Orleans, a veteran of World War I, served with the U.S. Navy, a member of American Legion Post 139, Bay St. Louis, and Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Gussie Davis Donner, Bay St. Louis, and a sister, Mrs. Eunice Smith, Glendale, Calif.

Funeral services were held with a Requiem Mass at 11 a.m. Tuesday at Riemann-Fahey Funeral Home chapel. Interment was in Gardens of Memory Cemetery.

MRS. VICTORIA (SIS) FAYARD HENLEY

Mrs. Victoria (Sis) Fayard Henley, 74, died at 5:10 a.m. Wednesday, December 11, at Hancock General Hospital where she had been a patient for four weeks. Born March 8, 1900, Waveland, Miss., Mrs. Henley resided there prior to moving to New Orleans 15 years ago. She was the daughter of the late Emilie and Mamie Necease Fayard.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Carl Fricke Sr., Bay St. Louis; three sons, Robert Henley, Bay St. Louis; Emile Henley, Waveland, and Jerome Henley, St. Elmo, Ala.; two brothers Paul Fayard Sr., New Orleans, and John Fayard, Waveland; 18 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Henley was preceded in death by a son Paul Henley Sr., of Waveland.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Friday at Riemann-Fahey Funeral Home followed by a Requiem Mass at 1:30 p.m. at St. Clare Catholic Church with Rev. George Broussard, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Fayard Cemetery, Waveland.

Questionnaires due

Persons in Mississippi who receive Veterans Administration pension checks should remember to complete their annual income questionnaire by January 1, 1975, James R. Harrison, Jackson, VA Center Director, said today.

The January 1 deadline is a change from the customary January 15 date to relieve the bottleneck experienced in

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Reflections of the past



Echoes of a young country's first war effort abound in this June, 1918 photo of the former Knights of Columbus hall in Bay St. Louis, Miss. Food Administration posters pasted on windows of local merchants and clubs reminded citizens not to waste food needed by the Allies and to use more corn meal

planning. American flags decorated the entrance way of the old K of C hall with stalks of what appear to be bamboo plants placed outside the doorway. The photo was submitted by E. E. Lucas. Readers are encouraged to submit photos for use in Reflections. Photos will be returned unharmed at the Echo office.

Drugs and your health

by John F. Russell, M.D.

With the advertising medium geared toward creating a drug taking culture, it is difficult to fight the war against drug abuse. This country has been completely indoctrinated into believing that there is a pill for every ill, be it physical, mental, or spiritual.

It is hard to find an hour on television where some diagram or other isn't pointing out headaches, stomach aches, or any aches... how they pain one and how a pill can over overcome any problem. In fact, over \$1 million a DAY is spent by advertising companies to promote this drug taking culture.

The really sad part about all this is that if every single over-the-counter drug were taken from the shelves and no longer available, there would be no discernable difference in the health of the nation. If anything, it might improve as we all tend to overmedicate.

We reach for an aspirin at the first sign of a headache, instead of giving it a chance to dissipate without medication. If we don't fall asleep as soon as our heads hit the pillow, we've been told to reach for a sleeping potion to help induce a somnolent state. (Whatever happened to counting sheep or taking a glass of warm milk?) Have we forgotten these old fashioned remedies in our modern race to nowhere?) At the first sign of a stuffed nose, why do so many reach for the nasal spray instead of relying on a vaporizer to aid breathing? There are

thousands of people now actually addicted to nasal sprays.

There is a certain physiological phenomenon known as "rebound congestion" which occurs when nasal sprays are used too often or too long. The nasal passages close up faster than normal after using sprays.

The clearing of the passage to aid breathing, in other words, is a very temporary situation and soon the congestion returns, greater than before until it reaches the point that the body is dependent upon the spray just for normal breathing when no cold or sinus condition is apparent.

At the first sign of a cold, a "cold tablet" is taken, and if the cold persists three days or more, most people run to a physician for antibiotics or other medication. We forget that there still is NO cure for the common cold and that with or without medication it will run its course, usually two weeks.

A friend recently returned from Switzerland and was astounded at the lack of medication one could purchase over the counter. He had developed a cold and couldn't find anything to treat it. Finally, in desperation he went to a local physician who laughed, "You Americans - always looking for a pill. Go home and get some rest and don't worry. It will go away in two weeks." This pill popping attitude is further borne out by the fact that United States citizens consume ten times the number of drugs as the next seven nations COMBINED.

The advertising media has brainwashed us until we are now completely drug oriented. How can we find fault with young people who pop pills? The advertising firms have indoctrinated them into believing drugs are good for us and necessary to our well-being... and we have set the examples for them to follow. Can we say, "Don't smoke pot!" as we stagger into the

room, completely inebriated from a neighborhood cocktail party?

Can we say, "It is wrong to use pills to change your mood," when we tranquilize ourselves into non-depression?

Can we condemn others if we are also abusing substances?

Let us set the example: medicate only when absolutely necessary and wash our brains free of the propaganda of advertising. Only then will we truly be able to prevent drug abuse.

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In person St. Nick

The Echo has been informed by sources close to the old white-bearded one himself, that Santa Claus will make a special appearance to children in Spanish Acres next Monday night.

Saint Nick can be found in Andre Court Circle at 8 p.m. Monday night listening to all Christmas requests from boys and girls who have been good this year.

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LB Chamber elects officers

Dr. Joe Holloway, dean of USM's Gulf Park campus was elected president of the Long Beach chamber of commerce Tuesday by acclamation of the chamber directors. R. Mac Riemann of Riemann Funeral Homes was voted vice-president, and Donald Presley of South Central Bell was named secretary treasurer for 1975. They will assume their

positions at a banquet in January. The new directors for the chamber will include Jim Baker, Carl Lacy, Cooper Andrews, and Mrs. Gladys Budd. They will join the present directors Jim McGhee, O.K. Lion, Bob Richards, and Jim Johnson to form the 1975 board of directors. Cecil Dubuisson will remain as the chamber's executive director.

At the December breakfast

meeting, the directors

discussed moving the

chamber to the small craft

harbor. It was estimated that

the total cost of the move

would be around \$650,

provided the city supplies the

labor. The yearly cost for

leasing their present location

at the corner of Jeff Davis and

Highway 90 is \$600 a year. The

yearly leasing rate at the

small craft harbor would be

\$1.

Receives degree

Annie B. Fields, 348 Keller St., Bay St. Louis, received a master of social work degree from Tulane University during the School of Social Work's annual winter commencement exercises held December 14 on the campus.

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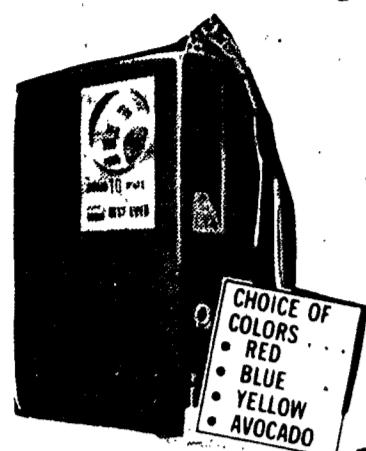
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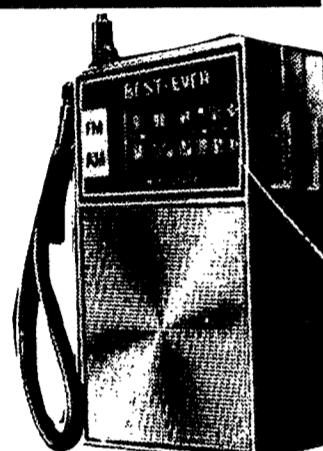


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Association - Founded 1885**Colling's Corner**

By E.S. Colling

Not long ago, the Rev. Dr. Soando appeared on television and in response to a question by the m.c., admitted that Christmas was a time when good-will should be shared by everybody with everybody. It reminded us of Cal Coolidge's famous statement that the pastor of church had boldly stated that he was against sin.

We would guess that most everybody in Mississippi felt the same way, both about Christmas and sin - Even us. At Christmas time our natural Scrooge-like disposition softens and mellows until a child could have his way with us. Of course, we don't expect this attitude to last beyond New Year's Eve. And even in this "Joy-to-the-World" period we are making a little list of miscreants who never would be missed when our disposition returns to normal.

First on the list --- but not last! We shall allow him to enjoy human companionship and warmth by his Yule log for two more weeks, and his Christmas dinner, like that of the convicted murderer, shall be unmarrred by visions of the gallows.

And, like the Rev. Dr. Soando, we urge you to forgive - but not forget. Say to your particular bete noir, "God rest you, merry gentleman... for Jesus Christ, our Savior, was born on Christmas Day". This expression of good-will, accompanied by a mental

reservation and a dirty look, will satisfy both parties and make for a Very Merry Yule.

It really is kind of ridiculous, when you get right down to it, this custom of bringing joy to the world - for one day only! We know a man - and there must be a million more like him - who should rightly be drawn and quartered for his meanness to his fellow men for 364 days of the year who celebrates Christmas as though he had made it himself. He sends out holiday cards to all the folks he has been cheating all year, passes out nickles to all the children in the block, puts lights on a tree in his yard, and has all his neighbors in for drinks and a big Christmas celebration. The next day he forecloses on their mortgages. Another man gives things away to nearly everybody in town every day of the year except on Christmas, when he hasn't enough money left to buy an ample Christmas dinner for his own family, so they hate him. To find out who is the more blessed, read the Scriptures.

So, in balancing your personal account for the year, put down all the good things you've done and next to them, note the bad and the mean, ungrateful acts you've committed. Then, for peace of mind, tear them all up and start over again for 1975.

Washington Report

By: Rep. Trent Lott

If you think the 93rd Congress has given you some cheap thrills over the last two years, just wait until you meet the 94th Congress.

The next two years could make the Lyndon Johnson Great Society look like kindergarten stuff," one of my House colleagues told his constituents recently. And, judging from the makeup of the new Congress, he could be right.

After all, when you give that group of liberals more power than they already have, you're really asking for trouble. Let's take a brief look at the numbers

Home Makers Notes

By Norine Barnes, Hancock County Home Economist

Consumer concerns related to meat and poultry are responsible for change in USDA regulations. One change that has been under study for many months is product dating.

Product dating is not a new practice, but only a few companies have practiced open dating on a volunteer basis. Open product dating makes it possible for the consumer to read the dates on labels in the same way that processors and retailers have previously been able to read them. Since some processors used the date a product was packed and others used the date the products usefulness expired, the ability to read dates only added to consumer confusion. The new amendment to federal meat and poultry regulations was designed to make product dating less confusing.

Calendar dates on meat and poultry products after September 8 must be identified as either a packing date, a sell-by date, or a use-before date. This action will eliminate some confusion for shoppers, but it will not assure freshness at purchase time. In many instances, temperatures at which products are stored and transported have more to do with the freshness of that product than a few days or hours of storage time. If the store where you shop is not careful about refrigeration of products, they may not be fresh even as long as the date on the package states.

The reformers are the makeup of the House committees which deal with money.

The Ways and Means Committee and the Appropriations Committee will take on a drastically different character in January.

The liberals are quick to point out that the two powerful committees, which handle most of the legislation pertinent to the current economic crisis, have for years been chaired by conservatives. The time has come, they say, for a change in leadership.

So, out goes Ways and Means Chairman Wilbur Mills of Arkansas, who has more problems than he can handle at the moment. In steps Congressman Al Ullman of Oregon, a House veteran and an established liberal.

Then, to make sure that the right people have the power to make committee assignments, the Democratic Caucus retrieved that power from Ways and Means and gave it to the Steering and Policy Committee. They now will make committee assignments for members of their party.

Looking at the makeup from another angle, only four House chairmen retired. Their successors will come from a similar age group.

"King Caucus" has been moving in other areas, such as increasing the number of days a bill may be put on the Suspension Calendar, thereby limiting debate. They are also pushing tax reform and welfare reform, neither of which is designed to help the working American.

All in all, as you can see, it should be an interesting two years.

**County Agent's Notes**

John W. Smith, County Agent

CARE OF SEEDLINGS

The care that you give your tree seedlings before and during planting influences the chance of survival.

Pick up your seedlings immediately from the delivery point and put them in the shade to prevent drying. It is best not to stack the bundles of seedlings, but if they must be stacked, use spacers between bundles to prevent overheating. The spacers will allow air to circulate around the bundles.

If necessary to keep the seedlings for more than four or five days before planting, water the bundles to keep roots moist. After watering, elevate the bundles two to four inches to allow excess water to drain. You can keep seedlings in the bundles for two to three weeks if you give them proper care. It is a good idea to turn the bundles over every four or five days or when they are watered.

When planting the seedlings, keep the roots moist. Carry them in a bucket or planting bag. Remove only one seedling at a time from the bag or bucket. Tests

have shown that survival of seedlings is reduced with even short exposures of roots to air, wind and sun.

MID-WINTER PASTURE MANAGEMENT

1. Complete the grazing of all frosted grass this month as digestibility is down to around .25 percent by this time. A protein and energy supplement is necessary to make efficient use of frosted grass.

2. Cold weather has delayed the growth of late October and November planted ryegrass. Grazing too quickly will reduce the winter forage production. Calves may creep feed on your grass with minimum damage. This will allow a delay in grazing cows until grass is ready.

3. Control graze to get maximum from grass. As little as one hour per day or 3 hours every other day will stretch grazing. Alternating herds grazing a field will give more uniform consumption of forage due to the change in grazing pattern of different animals.

4. Young clover must be protected from grazing to give production in late February and early March. Where clover is planted with ryegrass, do not allow grass to shade it out.

5. Make arrangements now for nitrogen needed for top dressing grazing acreage. Ryegrass not fertilized with nitrogen at planting must have 45-60 lbs. of actual nitrogen to give any winter production.

6. When applying nitrogen fertilizer, avoid spreading directly into water filled pot holes or close to ponds as high nitrates in water often contributes to nitrate poisoning.

7. Grass Tetany occurs mostly in mature cows with young calves that are grazing lush grass pastures. Low levels of magnesium in the animal's blood cause tetany. Feeding high magnesium mineral supplement is a good preventative measure (a good mixture is 40 pounds magnesium oxide, 20 lbs. plain salt, 20 lbs. trace mineral salt and 20 pounds steamed bone meal). Feed this mixture as the only source of salt.

Our Readers Write

A Public Letter to:

Mississippi Game & Fish Commission
Mississippi State Legislature
Jackson, Mississippi

Gentlemen:

I would like to point out to you an inequity which exists regarding the individual rights of sportsmen in the State of Mississippi. All sportsmen pay quite heavily for the right to hunt and fish within the state. For example, at this moment I have in my pocket a combination hunting and fishing license (\$6.50), a deer and turkey permit (\$3.00), an archery license (\$3.00), a primitive firearm permit (\$3.00), and a special deer tag (\$6.00), or a total of \$21.50 in Mississippi licenses plus a Federal duck stamp (\$5.00). Added to this direct outlay is an additional assessment in the form of state taxes on gasoline, equipment, and ammunition expended. The state, on the other hand has provided some twenty game management areas situated throughout the state to perpetuate public hunting, a management and restocking program and enforcement officers.

At first glance, this appears a happy situation. However, the sportsman in the state are very unhappy over being denied use of the very lands they are supporting. Most of us work at least five days per week and many of us work at least part of Saturday to support our families. For many of us, Sunday is the only day we have to hunt and fish. A quick glance at the game regulations will show that with few exceptions none of the State Wildlife Management Areas permit Sunday hunting. On the only day in the week upon which most sportsmen are able to use public lands, we are by state law denied their use. I realize that for some there are religious feelings against hunting on the sabbath. For those, I respect their feelings and do not ask that they participate. However, for the majority of us who are not restrained by religion from Sunday outdoor activities, I beg that the state reexamine its policy on Sunday use of State Public Recreational Areas. I believe the Mississippi sportsman should be granted the same consideration that is given to sportsmen in our adjoining states.

Sincerely,

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The Sea Coast Echo



MRS. MARIA VILLALOBOS (third from right), native of Guatemala and resident of Bay St. Louis for 22 years is shown with friends Friday at the home of Mrs. Nunez C. Pilet where

she was given a surprise celebration following the occasion of her naturalization as a United States citizen Dec. 10.

Bay resident honored at citizenship party

Mrs. Maria Cristina Villalobos, a native of Guatemala and a resident of Bay St. Louis was feted Friday in the home of Mrs. Nunez C. Pilet in recognition of her recent naturalization as a citizen of the United States.

Citizenship papers were finalized December 10 in the Federal Court Building in Biloxi with Judge Dan Russell officiating. Mrs. Aileen L. Mauffray served as her sponsor. She was one of 59

persons to become an American citizen on that date and in that court.

Although Mrs. Villalobos has lived in Bay St. Louis for twenty-two years, she has had little opportunity to speak or hear English conversations for she lives alone and her work with Our Lady of the Gulf School is done for the most part in solitude.

For this reason a close friend, Mrs. Fred Van Peski, a bilingual, arranged a small

English Spanish study group which meets every Friday in Mrs. Pilet's home.

When Mrs. Villalobos arrived last Friday for class she was surprised that a group had assembled to welcome her as an American citizen. Dressed in the native costume of women of Republica de Guatemala, the hostess presented Mrs. Villalobos to the waiting guests.

Pinning a corsage on the honoree, Mrs. Robert Bird of Long Beach, regent of the Gulf Coast Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution, gave a booklet published by her organization and designed to assist those in the process of becoming citizens. A letter delivered by Bay St. Louis Mayor Warren Carver and addressed to Mrs. Villalobos was read aloud by Mrs. Mauffray. The mayor extended greetings and quoted Webster's "I am an American."

Meaningful gifts including a sand-painted decanter made by Mrs. Elmo Nolan of Pass Christian; an elephant with raised trunk (said to be an omen of good luck), and a miniature planting in a gaily painted Mexican bowl were received by Mrs. Villalobos who thanked the group when she regained composure.

"I must have addresses, maybe I can thank better on paper."

Following the formalities the group gathered around the

refreshment table which was overlaid with a handwoven Guatemalan cloth. Four tapers in Guatemalan carved candle sticks were lit, signifying a warm welcome to Sisters Engracia Alvarado, Adriana Solis, Martha Mejia, and S. Maricela, all of Morelia, State of Michocan, Mexico and presently serving at Our Lady of the Gulf School.

Mrs. Bird presided at the punch service and Mrs. Mauffray served sherry. Lifting her glass Mrs. Thomas Wicker of Pearlington proposed a toast: "Congratulaciones a nuestra amiga que ahora esta una cuidad de los Estados Unidos! Tenemos muchos enhorabuena en su aceso. Salud y pesebas." Followed by a toast proposed by Mrs. Van Peski "To your health and wealth and time to enjoy it."

The sisters sang a group of songs in Spanish including "Friends," and best loved Mexican Christmas carols. American carols were sung in response during that time. Mrs. Villalobos crossed the room and joined singing in English.

A tour of the home followed, where many articles made in Guatemala and Mexico were on display. Molas from

Panama were explained by Mrs. Van Peski, the sisters took turns in offering explanations of the arts and crafts from their region, and Mrs. Villalobos talked especially of the weaving done by the Indians of Guatemala.

The American flag was raised by Mrs. Villalobos who first embraced the banner and said proudly: "It's MY flag now."

In addition to Mrs. Bird other out of town guests included Mrs. Melvin D. Irving and Mrs. James E. Young of Long Beach.

Mrs. Villalobos is the mother of twin daughters Graciela and Ana Marie. Both daughters attended St. Joseph's Academy and graduated from high school there. They speak Spanish fluently. Graciela is the wife of Monroe Cuevas, Jr. His mother Mrs. Margarita Cuevas lives on State Street in Bay St. Louis. Daughters of Graciela and Monroe live with their parents in Ocean Springs.

Mrs. Villalobos has a brother, Huberto Cordoba whose son Luis Fernando Cordoba attends St. Stanislaus College. The daughter of Mrs. Villalobos, Anna Maria lives in Camarillo, Calif.



Raising the American flag, Mrs. Villalobos declared "it's my flag now."

Soybean research grants buy 'best brainpower'

The Mississippi Soybean Promotion Board has provided \$12,750 to help finance soybean research through the American Soybean Association (ASA) Research Foundation, according to James M. Ferguson, Calhoun City, president of the Mississippi board.

The money, made available through Mississippi's half-cent per acre soybean check-off, will be invested by the foundation in research of broad regional and national significance, Ferguson said.

He emphasized that the ASA uses the funds to purchase the "best brainpower available."

and that none of the money is spent on building research facilities.

"The ASA Research Foundation has developed an excellent procedure for getting the best possible buy for our research money," Ferguson said. He explained that the foundation requests proposals on specific projects

from leading research institutions and then has the proposals screened and rated by a committee of top soybean scientists. The top five projects are submitted to the foundation board for approval.

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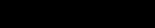
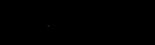
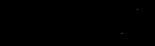
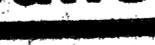
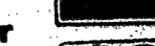
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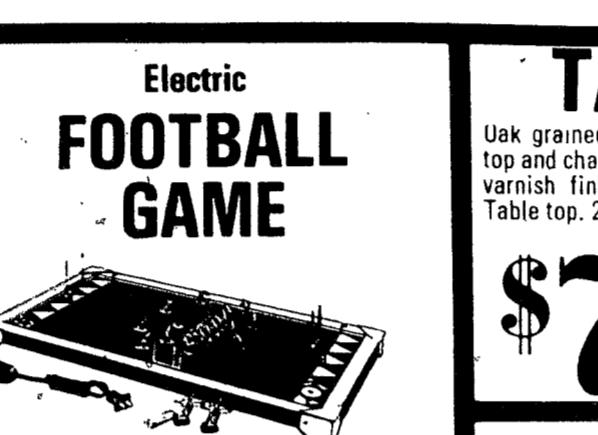
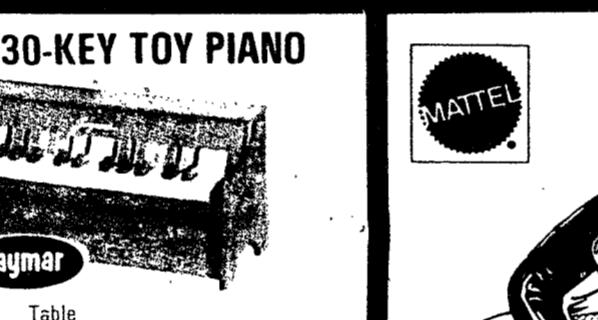
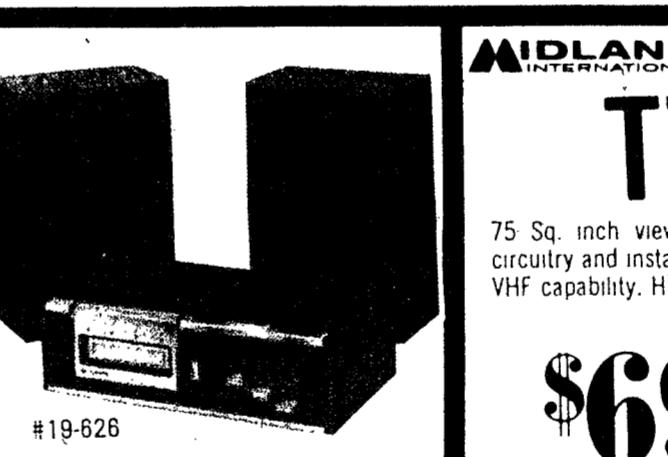
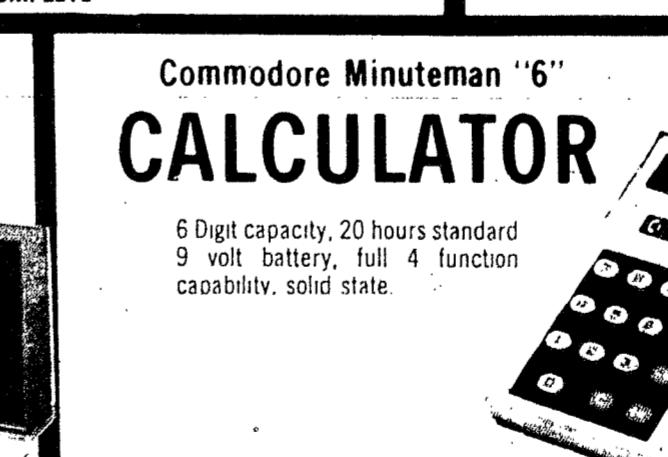
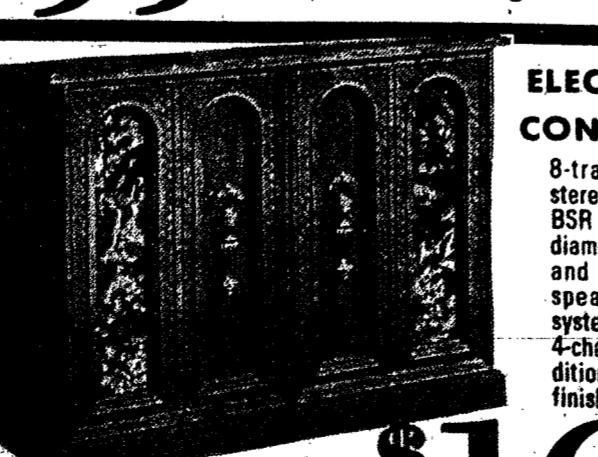
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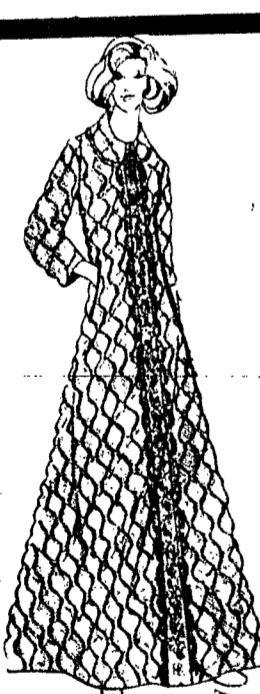
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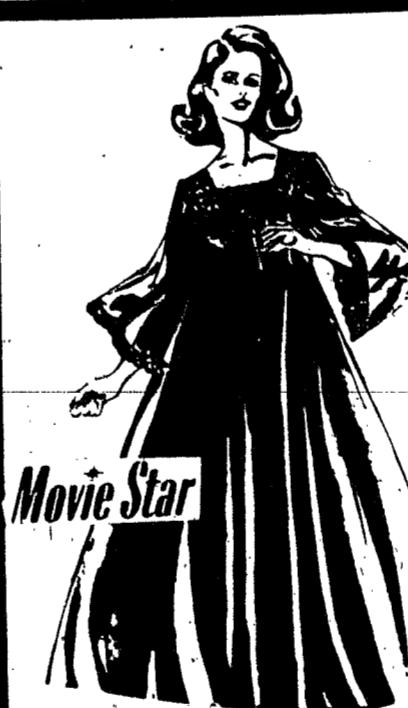
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Through the centuries wine, not made nor handled as carefully today, was full of sediment and needed straining and decanting into decanters. Today only the oldest wines need this treatment, but if you do have a beautiful decanter you want to use, it is very permissible to transfer the wine to it carefully yet also display the empty wine bottle on the table so your guests may note the label.

A decanter is almost a necessity at a fancy dinner if you're serving a jug wine, even a good imported French Languedoc like Bonfils, since the decanter is more deluxe with your silver and china than a half-gallon glass jug.

Until recently many people also poured their liquor into cut-glass decanters as a status symbol. Today the best spirits are often sold in attractive but identifiable decanters of their own, especially around holiday time, because displaying a top brand name is as status-y as a metal-tagged decanter.

101-proof Wild Turkey Kentucky Bourbon, for instance, comes in an unmistakable four-color ceramic bottle in the shape of a wild turkey hen and her chick, number four in a collector's item series. A famous Greek brandy liqueur, Metaxa 5 Star, can be had in a charming oval-shaped flask, or for the very special Metaxa Grande Fine a stunning white decanter decorated with the colorful flowers of the Aegean.

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December 22 - 7 p.m. - Candlelight service with Christmas carols by the Sunday School.

Christmas Day - Services 9 a.m.

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Christmas Eve - Midnight Mass.

There will be no Masses Christmas Day.

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Confessions - December 21

from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

December 23 - 6:30 p.m.

December 24 - 11 a.m. to noon

and 4:30 p.m.

There will be no 7 p.m. Mass December 24.

A program of Christmas carols will begin at 11:30 p.m.

Christmas Eve followed by midnight Mass. Christmas Day Masses 7, 9 and 11 a.m.

There will be no evening Mass.

ST. JOSEPH CHAPEL

Christmas Day Mass 8 a.m.

ST. CLARE CATHOLIC CHURCH, WAVELAND

Christmas Eve - Masses 6

p.m. and midnight

Christmas Day - Mass 9 a.m.

Confessions Saturday, December 21, 5 to 5:30 p.m.

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Christmas Day - Mass 8 a.m.

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Christmas Eve - Midnight Mass

Christmas Day - Mass 9:15 a.m.

ST. ROSE DE LIMA CATHOLIC CHURCH

Christmas Eve - Masses 6

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Christmas Day - Masses 9

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December 24 11:30 p.m.

Christmas carols, Holy

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Drug program termed success

The Commission on Drug Counseling's special program at North Bay Elementary Dec. 11 was termed a success by Willmer Seymour, drug education specialist for the Bay-Waveland school district.

Special guest speakers at the program included Hancock Sheriff Department narcotics officer Ronnie Peterson; Youth Court referee Michael Haas; St. Stanislaus High School principal Brother Lee Barker; and assistant

director of the Gulf Coast Mental Health Center Dr. Roger Fox.

Peterson and Haas discussed the legal implications for youthful offenders caught in possession of illegal drugs with Brother Barker and Dr. Fox directing attention to adolescent problems and values.

A sample of an increasingly popular method of marijuana detection among law enforcement agencies was demonstrated by the Ocean Springs Police Department who loaned one of the department's specially trained police dogs. The dogs are trained specifically to detect the presence of

marijuana and the effectiveness of this method of detection was demonstrated effectively.

Peterson burned a small sample of the marijuana plant to acquaint the audience with the unusual smell of the drug.

Refreshments were served by the Bay-Waveland Altrusa Club.

Migues, Vick arraigned

Leroy Migues and Ilene Vick were arraigned in U.S. District Court December 11 before District Judge Walter Nixon and pleaded not guilty to one-count indictments charging them with the armed robbery of a Pass Christian branch bank. Both sides are now given 30 days to file a motion.

Mrs. Vick's court-appointed attorney, Roy Strickland, said that Mrs. Vick had been "a willing and cooperative witness" in the case against Migues and that she had helped to apprehend him. Mrs. Vick was subsequently released on a \$5,000 bond.

Migues, a Pass Christian resident who was last employed as a dock worker at the Port of Gulfport, remains in the custody of U. S. marshals.

Migues is charged with the armed robbery of the Gulf National Bank in Pass Christian last Sept. 19 in which \$26,000 was taken. Mrs. Vick allegedly aided Migues in the getaway. The two were apprehended October 4 in El Paso without incident.

'Not too late' to give

Hancock Countians may still send in their contributions to the 1974 Christmas Seal Campaign being conducted by the Hancock County chapter of the Mississippi Lung Association, according to chapter chairman Mrs. O. Duke.

"We want everyone to know it's not too late to make that contribution," Mrs. Duke said.

"Every dollar received will provide more 'ammunition' for county and statewide programs of emphysema, tuberculosis and other respiratory disease control during the coming year," she added.

Special projects supported by the annual Christmas Seal Campaign include the purchase of X-ray film and drugs for indigent tuberculosis patients, support of a professor of respiratory disease at the University of Mississippi School of Medicine, sponsorship of a social worker at the Miss. State Sanatorium, and provisions of medical education-research scholarships and fellowships.

"Every volunteer is eagerly counting on our Hancock County citizens who have not yet responded to their Christmas Seal letter to make a contribution during the closing weeks of this year's campaign," Mrs. Duke added, "in order that our projects and activities can be continued and expanded in 1975."

Missionary plans program

The First Missionary Baptist Church, corner Sycamore and Third Street in Bay St. Louis, will present its annual pre-Christmas program Sunday at 6 p.m. The program is under the direction of Afriza Acker.

Services will also be held Christmas morning at 6:30. The public is invited.

President Ford: Cuts budget to fight inflation

President Ford has sent Congress a plan for fiscal 1975 budget cuts which will loom even larger in subsequent years and ultimately have a tremendous impact on inflation.

That is the significance of the \$4.6 billion in budget reductions recommended by

the President to take effect before this fiscal year runs out.

President Ford is hopeful that the Congress will cooperate. He notes that the Senate voted heavily last June to hold fiscal 1975 federal spending to \$295 billion; and the House voted last month for

a \$300 billion ceiling. The 1975 budget totalled \$305.4 billion at the start of the fiscal year. But it now appears that interest on Federal borrowings will run \$1.5 billion higher than anticipated last June. Meanwhile, Congress has voted some cuts in spending.

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Also, a recommended treat for the adventurous is THE GREAT ESCAPE (256pp., \$7.00), a large-format paperback that catalogues delights and pleasures for the mind and body, edited and designed by Min S. Yee and Donald K. Wright. Published in June, it's been called "a gorgeous gallimaufry of a book" Saturday Review-World, "a wonderfully

Drug misuse means expulsion

The Board of Trustees of the Bay-Waveland Municipal Separate School District, at their regular meeting of Monday, December 9, 1974, unanimously approved a resolution whereby any student or students guilty of the sale, use, or possession of any type of harmful drugs while on the campus of each respective school, will be suspended.

The suspension according to Bay-Waveland School Superintendent Joseph McCullough will result in the expulsion of the student or students from school for the remainder of the school term if found guilty by the local Youth Court.

Rutherford to chair Club

Hancock County Chancery Court Clerk John Rutherford has been appointed 1975 Scout Century Club President, according to Norton Haas, Cypress District Finance Chairman.

The Century Club is dedicated to raising the necessary funds to operate and extend Scouting in the New Orleans Area Council, Boy Scouts.

Rutherford, a long time veteran Scouter and community leader, stated that Hancock County Scouts would raise over \$7,500 toward the Scout Council's \$658,000 operating budget this year.

Approximately one third of the Council funds comes from the United Way in the eleven Louisiana parishes, and Hancock County. The remainder is raised from Scouts and friends of Scouting in the annual Sustaining Membership Enrollment.

Hancock County has always led the way in the total Scout program, Rutherford told Century Club members.

Rutherford was recently honored at the Cypress District Banquet held in Slidell.

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Also, new this year at Bantam, a two-volume set of the 1974 GUINNESS BOOK OF WORLD RECORDS and THE GUINNESS GAME BOOK (\$2.50).

Other paperbacks collected in gift boxes include the sets: THE NOVELS OF ALEXANDER SOLZHENITSYN (four volumes, \$6.50), EIGHT

Certify early for GI benefits

Certify early to get the best service on GI Bill checks is the advice offered to the veterans not presently enrolled in college, but who intend to attend during the 1975 spring term by Merlin J. Cook, Veterans Administration Regional Office Assistant Director.

Cook said the Veterans Administration can have the veteran's first GI Bill check waiting for him at his school at the start of the spring term if he completes his certification early.

Veterans can contact the



campus VA "Vet Rep" or the VA Regional Office in Jackson.

Most of the 10,200 veterans who attended college during the 1974 fall term are already certified to receive their benefits as they continue into the spring term.

VA's main concern is the veteran starting college under the GI Bill for the first time this spring or those who attended previously and are starting again in January. They must be certified for school benefits if they want an advance GI Bill check when school starts next semester.

May the Christmas Season be a memorable and joyous time filled with blessings and love for all.

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El Kabahr Grotto installs officers

Mr. Richard Irven Bell and Mrs. Pauline Bell were installed in a joint ceremony as leaders of El Kabahr Grotto and the Ladies Auxiliary of El Kabahr Grotto of Gulfport, in services held at the El Kabahr Grotto Temple, 23rd Avenue Gulfport recently.

Mrs. Bell was installed as president of the auxiliary. Mrs. Alice Leonard, Vice President, Mrs. Ann Edwards, treasurer, and Mrs. Doris Weaver, Secretary.

Installed as prophet

monarch of El Kabahr Grotto

Richard Irven Bell, Grover H. Edwards - Chief Justice, William D. Blackwell - Master of ceremonies, Paul J. Vidacovich, Sr. - treasurer, Seth A. Cone - secretary, Paul W. Donnelly - Marshal, Ernest A. Leonard - orator, John H. Barrett - Chaplain, John B. Lloyd - Captain of the guard, Harry H. Weaver II - Grand chamberlain, James W. Scarbrough - Venerable prophet, and John C. Hyunum - sentinel.

Grand installing officer was

Paul J. Vidacovich, Sr., past

monarch, Grand installing marshal was Ennid O. Johnson past monarch.

Music was furnished by John H. Barrett, Don Halleman, J. C. Pinson and Tom Waltman.

Auxiliary members decorated the Christmas tree with money to purchase food for Christmas baskets for the needy.

A turkey dinner was prepared by the Ladies auxiliary.

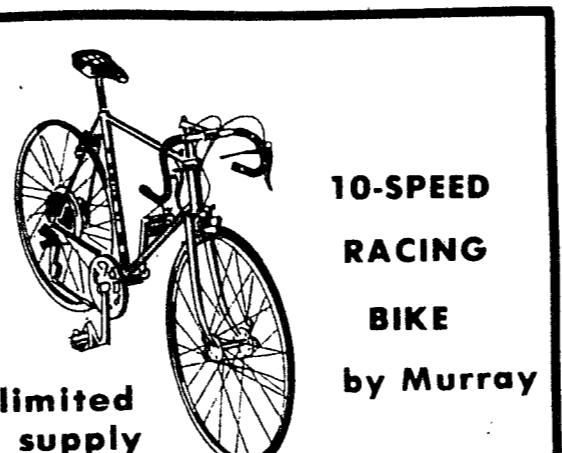
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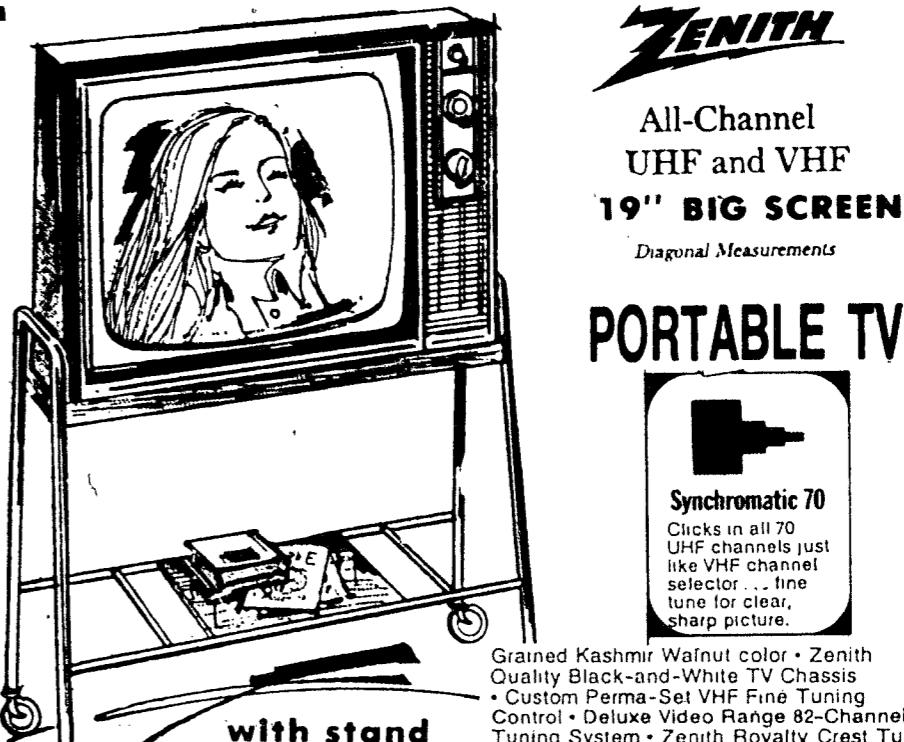
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An Invitation To Help - RSVP

And a good time was had by all, is perhaps the understatement of the year, as the 210 guests who attended the RSVP Christmas Party at the Waveland American Legion Hall last Thursday just couldn't have been better rewarded for their part of the work in the program, entertained by such talented people, and fed such a feast of goodies.

All this didn't just happen overnight of course, as plans and work for the party began as far back as last August when about eight RSVP volunteers started work on the invitations and placecards.

Mrs. Myrtle Faulkner was in charge of making paper weight favors for each place at the table. VIV Wilma Miller gathered together many odds and ends to use for decorations which turned out to be such eyecatchers that the Legion asked to keep the decorations for their own New Year's Eve party.

Food was prepared by RSVP director Mrs. Mildred Fisher and assistant director Mrs. Theresa James.

The program began with community singing and the Hall rang with Christmas carols. The Dixie Bells and Breaux followed with special musical numbers, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Mildred Means.

The advisory committee was introduced and awards given to volunteers—gold ribbons for those who had been with the program less than six months, RSVP pins for those who had been with it more than six months, and certificates for those who had worked as volunteers for over a year.

The chorus of the "Spend-the-Day" Center entertained with several hymns under the direction of Mrs. Gena Demars, accompanied by Pop Mulling at the piano.

After everyone was served, soloist Sherry Herrington sang "Sweet Little Jesus Boy" and "A Satisfied Mind" accompanied by Mr. Altriza Acker. Both are members of the First Missionary Baptist Church. Mrs. Janelle McLaine, accompanied by Mrs. Mary Howard, sang a medley from the "Sound of Music" followed by "No Golden Carriage."

Afterwards Santa Claus distributed gifts from a tremendous box of gaily wrapped packages.

Fip Johnson and his boys provided dance music to end the party.

With New Years just around the corner, why not make a resolution to join the happy VIVs who work with the Retired Senior Volunteer Program and make 1975 the year you discover it really is "more blessed to give than receive."

Dale stresses controls

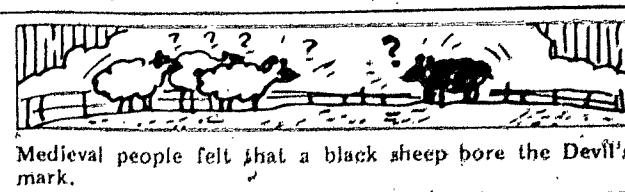
Public Service Commissioner John L. Dale Tuesday sharply criticized attempts by Interior Secretary Rogers Morton and FPC Chairman John Nassikas to end price control regulation of interstate natural gas.

The two federal officials have publicly urged an end to gas price regulation as a means of stimulating additional production of natural gas to meet current demands.

"The only thing this will stimulate is additional profits to the gas companies at the expense of the consumer," Dale said in Jackson. "The major gas and oil companies are already earning incredible profits, while the customer who pays the bill is burdened almost beyond his ability to pay. The whole argument of the federal power officials is absurd," Dale said.

"What good will it do us to have plenty of gas if the price is so high we can't afford to buy it," he added.

Dale said he sincerely hoped Congress would take a long look at the situation before allowing the gas and oil companies to set their own price on this very necessary commodity.



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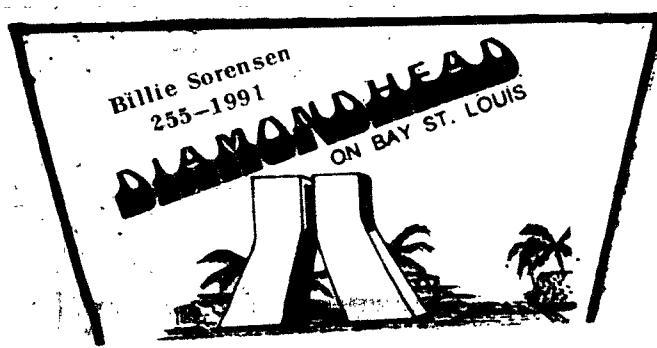
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Collapsed floor

Doug Howard, a volunteer fireman, fell about three feet when the bottom floor of this apartment collapsed under him while fighting Saturday's fire at the LacBleu Apartments in Pass Christian. Howard refused medical treatment. Three other firemen also fell through the floor while fighting the fire.

(Photos by David Pierson)



We're alive and well in Diamondhead, and as the year draws to a close we can see that bigger and better things are in the offering...the yacht club completed, Tennis world well on its way, and the super recreational center that will outshine the rest. Our new, shiny fire engine will be an asset, and so many new homes in the making. We have such a hard working Architectural Advisor's Committee that help us in keeping with our beautiful surroundings and our hats are off to Joe Salvatore, Ken Sauer, Carl Greaves, Wally Little, and Paul Milam.

Having Mr. Holcomb Hector, Vice-President of Diamondhead working right here on the Project does prove a tremendous asset.

So good to see Larry and Coral Strasburger back at Lake Villa following Larry's surgery. Not only have we missed them but the gold dining room had dimmed without Larry's beautiful display of orchids...such a dear to share this avid hobby with us!

Over the week end two families of Molakai Villa enjoyed the warm arrival of their Moms from the cold North. Here to join Sal and Penny Peraino for the holidays is Sal's Mother, Mrs. Martha Peraino who resides in Lodi, N. J. Their good neighbors Roy and Angel Demarest are entertaining Mrs. Martha Manine, Angel's Mom from Philadelphia...and both visitors are really getting acquainted with each other.

The Ladies Volunteer Fire Auxiliary met recently and regretfully accepted President Isabel Lund's resignation. Due to her husband's recent death Isabel did not feel she could complete her tenure in office. Mrs. Harry Devine has moved up to fill the office as President and Mrs. Dot Jordan has accepted the Vice-President's chair. The main topic of this meeting was a plan to purchase fire fighting equipment for our area...a job that this group pursues most zealously!

The golf course has just been overflowing with humanity these beautiful days, but no matter what the weather one can always see Jack and Jane Baumgartner; Paul and Betty Cutler and Joe Salvatore playing...all hail from New Orleans but spend every possible moment here. The Diamondhead Garden Club met at the home of President Billie Sorenson for a most entertaining Christmas Party on December 4th. A plant exchange took place wherein each member related the history of her plant. Mrs. Malcolm Mundy spoke about the potential extinction of birds, rabbits, etc. that build nests close to the ground because of the marauder, the Armadillo.

Some highly entertaining games followed under the guidance of Mrs. Virginia Criss, and these proved to be a great work up to the delicious luncheon that followed. The Christmas garden of the month plaque went to Mr. and

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Burned remains

The stove (lower left corner) in one of the LacBleu fire victim's apartments was blown out of the kitchen and landed in the dining room. The resident of this apartment claimed to have lost about \$20,000 in belongings in the Saturday morning fire.

Fire . . .

his window and discovered the back of his apartment ablaze. Morgan said he evacuated his family immediately down the apartment's lone stairwell and then began notifying other families.

The James Farrell family, which lived in one of the lower apartments, said that by the time they knew of the fire their escape down the stairwell was cut off by the flames. Farrell said his family used a window to get out of the building, and recalled receiving electrical shocks while going out the window.

Mixon said that there was no reason to call for help from neighboring fire departments because his department was making maximum use of the available resources.

The residents whose homes were almost totally destroyed by the fire praised the efforts of the fire department saying "We want them to know

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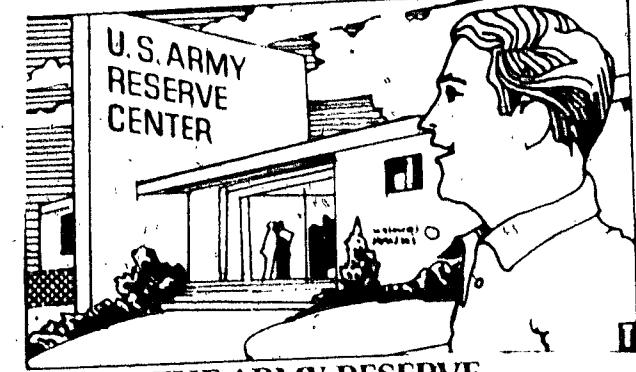
that we thought they did a very fine job."

The victims of the fire also expressed appreciation for the donations they have received from the community and charity organizations such as the Salvation Army and the Red Cross. Clothing, furniture, and other contributions are being accepted at the fire station.

Three of the four families have moved into other apartments in the 120 unit complex. "One family chose to move because a large enough unit was not available," said a spokesman for the LacBleu management.

Tuesday morning James Farrell walked through his fire-ravaged home, pointing out what could possibly be salvaged. He came upon a book that was lying on top of the destroyed television set. The title of the book was "The Merriment of Christmas." He pointed at it and tried to laugh.

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Garden club

Bay-Waveland Garden Club met Thursday December 12, at the Garden Center with Mrs. Lelyn W. Nybo, president, presiding.

Mrs. Gordon Gleim, High School Garden Clubs chairman, announced plans had been made by the Tiger Lilies (Bay High School Garden Club) for a Christmas flower show December 17.

During the afternoon members exchanged potted plants around a festive live Christmas tree. Each member also brought a plant to be given to Senior Citizens as part of a garden therapy project under the direction of Mrs. C. R. Beyer.

Mrs. Dan M. Russell, civic development chairman, outlined plans for planting native trees in honor of past Garden Club presidents as part of the group's beautification and conservation program.

A Christmas display contest is being sponsored by the

group and three awards will be made in this annual contest, a commercial award and two for a home display in Bay St. Louis and Waveland.

In cooperation with the energy conservation programs displays will be judged during the day and lighting will not be taken into consideration.

Anyone wishing to enter the contest can contact Mrs. J.D. Brameyer at 467-6403. Displays will be judged December 21.

New members, Mrs. Robert Autenreith and Mrs. Oliver Baldwin and a guest, Daisy Sudduth, were welcomed.

The Christmas theme was used in decorating the Center.

Hostesses were Mesdames William Hilliker, L.H. Ott, R.H. Meilleur, Hunter Kimbrough, Margaret Lamb, Frank Lagarde, Walter Russo, John Schott, A.G. Dantagnan and Gordon Gleim.

coming events

Waveland First Baptist Church will present a Christmas cantata, Good News World, at 7 p.m., December 22, at the Church. The public is invited.

Christ Episcopal Day School will close at noon Friday, December 20, for the Christmas holidays. Classes will resume Monday, January 6, 1975.

Because of Christmas holidays, the Sodality of Our Lady of St. Clare's Parish, Waveland, will not hold its December meeting.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. George William Clifford Jr., of Cleveland, Miss., announce the birth of their first child, a son, George William Clifford III, December 4, at Indiana Hospital. He weighed eight pounds, three ounces.

Mrs. Clifford is the former Deborah Phillips, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Phillips of Moorhead, Miss. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Sr. of Baine, Miss., are the paternal grandparents and Mrs. Alma Quintin, Bay St. Louis is the maternal great-grandmother.

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Civitans donate to special ed

Mrs. Betty D'Aquila, director of special education in the Long Beach school system, was presented a check for \$100 Monday by the Civitan Club at its regular meeting to aid in the purchase of supplies in the school's special ed program.

Ray Canada, Civitan president, told Mrs. D'Aquila the \$100 was for the program's "discretionary fund".

"This is not as much as we would like to give at this time," Canada said, "but we promise to add more to it when all the Christmas fruit cakes have been sold."

Canada appointed Civitans Harry Kalesch and Tom Meighan to work with Mrs. D'Aquila in an attempt to secure some of the needed supplies and equipment from the H.E.W. "surplus storage" in New Orleans.

Mrs. D'Aquila explained that the Long Beach Special Ed program is funded in parts by the federal government, the state of Mississippi and the Long Beach Separate School District.

"We need extra help in securing all types of materials

and equipment," Mrs. D'Aquila told the Civitans. The Civitans were told Long Beach presently has 70 children in four classes with learning disabilities, 50 mentally handicapped children in four classes, and one instructor who specializes in speech and hearing therapy.

In other business, Civitan T.D. Lee, chairman, Sam Maxwell, and Bill Norris were appointed to the nominating committee to secure new officers for 1975-76. Leroy Secret and Carl Columns were appointed to serve with Max Edington on the membership committee.

James Stevens, vice president of the Mississippi Coast Historical & Genealogical Society, was announced as the principal speaker at the club's next meeting Jan. 6.

Busy fingers hold luncheon

Busy Fingers Extension Homemakers Club held its Christmas luncheon at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Doris Vogt, Waveland. Mrs. Norine Barnes, Hancock County Home Economist, was a guest of the group.

Members attending were Mesdames Ethel Breaux, Barbara Davis, Gladys Discon, Dolores Farve, Myrtle Hurlbut, Alice Masson, Leona Roberts, Delphine Taconi and Doris Vogt.

It was announced a special leadership training on cake decorating will be held at 9:30 a.m. January 7 at the Agriculture Center.

The next regular meeting was scheduled for 10 a.m. January 21 at the Agricultural Center at which time Mrs. Taconi will give a demonstration on making hot plates with rug yarn.

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McDonnell-Giani vows exchanged

Miss Germaine Madeleine Giani, daughter of Mrs. Virgil H. Giani and the late Capt. Giani, became the bride of John Gale McDonnell recently in an early afternoon ceremony at St. Paul's Catholic Church in Pass Christian. Mr. McDonnell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. McDonnell of Jackson, Miss.

The marriage was celebrated by the Rev. John O'Brien, pastor of St. Paul's and the Rev. H. McDonald Morse, Jr., rector of Trinity Episcopal Church in Pass Christian. The candelabra lit altar was bordered by four topiary trees interspersed with orange blossoms.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Mario Peter Giani, wore an Empire-styled candlelight gown of peau de soie featuring a V-neckline and long sleeves edged with tiny organza ruffles and seed pearls. Her

cathedral length veil of illusion was held in place by a delicate band of Venetian lace and she carried an old-fashioned bouquet of tea roses, baby's breath and ivy. Mrs. Frank D.D'Antoni of Metairie, La., was her sister's matron of honor and the other bridesmaids were Mrs. John Mason of Tuscaloosa, Ala., sister of the bride, and Miss Charlene Marant. They wore Empire-styled floor length gowns of dusty blue and held nosegays of blue-tinted carnations, baby's breath and German statice. They both wore corsages of cymbidium orchids. Also receiving were the maternal grandmothers, Mrs. Hermilia Pizzati Bacuzzi of New Orleans, La., and Mrs. R.M. Reese of Tupelo, Miss., both in long gowns of pink and flowered print material.

Mr. Edward McDonnell served his son as best man and Robert Merritt McDonnell, Edward Marlin McDonnell, brothers of the bridegroom, Edward L. Nixon and Frank D. D'Antoni were his other attendants. Mendelssohn music and Fr. Abt's Ave Maria were rendered at the organ by Ogden Lafayette.

Blue Jeans club present awards

Blue Jeans Garden Club held its annual Christmas party Monday afternoon at Wheel Inn Restaurant.

Guests of the group were Mesdames David Caillier, Bernice Scafidi, Elva Buran and Anna Mae Rapiro.

Each member and guest was presented a crochet corsage and a handmade napkin.

During the brief business session conducted by Mrs. Joseph Servat, Club president, annual awards were presented to members who had accumulated the most points for their plant and flower arrangement entries in the various categories during the year.

Mrs. J. C. Goodloe, with the most points, received the Golden Iris award; Mrs. A. M. Thomas and Mrs. K. T. Breland tied for second place and Mrs. Frank Corcoran and Mrs. Vivian Moffett tied for third place. Mrs. Servat appointed Mrs. Ben Mutter chairman of Community Club awards with Mrs. J. C. Goodloe as co-chairman.

The next regular meeting was scheduled for Monday, January 20, 1975, at the home of Mrs. William Richardson.

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The deadline for entries in the "Mississippi is Photogenic" contest is nearing. All entries in the Mississippi Agricultural and Industrial Board-sponsored photography contest must be postmarked no later than midnight, Tuesday, December 31, 1974.

Participants, both amateur or professional, may submit up to four entries in each of three categories: black and white, color prints and color slides / transparencies. Entrants may choose their subject matter, but emphasis should be placed on scenic attractions in the state. All

photos must be taken in Mississippi.

Engraved silver bowls will be awarded to winners in the professional and non-professional classifications of the three categories and for best of show. Certificates of merit will also be given to those selected to accompany winners in a traveling exhibition following the formal presentation. Three nationally-known judges will select the winners.

Prizes will be awarded at a banquet on Saturday, January 25, following a day-long photography seminar. Ralph Morris, who for many years

was a chief photographer for "Life" magazine, will be keynote speaker for the banquet.

The seminar will be held at the Holiday Inn North on I-55, Jackson, and will feature outstanding speakers on photography from Nikon, Canon, and the Meisel Photochrome Corporation.

Entry forms, may be obtained from the Public Affairs Department, Mississippi A & I Board, Post Office Box 849, Jackson, MS 39205.

Muhammad Ali, Billie Jean King, Tom Seaver, Hank Aaron, Brooks Robinson and Lee Trevino are all helping in the fight against multiple sclerosis.

Pearlington

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Charles B. Murphy School's PTO will meet Thursday Dec. 19 at 7:30 p.m. Murphy School will hold the annual Christmas parties on Friday, Dec. 20 and students will be dismissed for the holidays. Class will resume on Jan. 6, 1975.

Pearlington First Baptist Church invites everyone to a special Christmas service Sunday Dec. 22 at 7 p.m.

Congratulations to Miss Susan Ladner and Mr. Dennis

Indest who were married Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Pittman of Gulfport were visitors to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dunaway.

Happy birthday to Paul Day, Dan Strayhan, Mrs. Margaret Parker, Teddy Bosworth, Robin Foster, Mrs. Ann Garvin Teren, Ireland, Mrs. Jerry Williamson, Allen Wilkinson and Jane Wilkinson.



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Miss Serio wed to Robert Gavagnie

St. Clare Catholic Church, Waveland, Miss., was the setting for the November 23 wedding of Linda Ann Serio, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Serio Jr., Waveland, and Robert Louis Gavagnie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willard L. Gavagnie, Bay St. Louis.

Rev. George Broussard, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with arrangements of pink and white gladiolas flanked by palms.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white sata-peau trimmed in Val Daisy Venise lace. The bodice featured a V-neckline and traditional bridal sleeves. The skirt, trimmed with rows of lace, flowed into a cathedral length train. Her veil of illusion fell from a Camelot head piece. The bride carried a cascade bouquet of white roses, cymbidium orchids, baby's breath and ivy.

Miss Suzanne Stevens, Waveland, attended the bride as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Mary Lou Lott, Poplarville, Miss.

Club holds flower show

The annual Tiger Lily Garden Club Flower Show was held Tuesday in the audio-visual room at Bay High. Debbie Netto, a junior at Bay High, received the overall tricolor ribbon for her arrangement consisting of live ferns.

First place winners for table arrangements were Trina Sunrall, Susan Carlson, and Debbie Netto.

After the judging, refreshments were served to all Tiger Lily members and guests.

Legion sponsors dance

American Legion Post 77 is sponsoring a New Year's Eve dance at its legion home on Coleman Avenue in Waveland. All visiting legionnaires and any legionnaire members and their guests are invited.

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Mrs. Betty Piernas, representing Les Damoiselles, displays the \$50 check that the club donated to the Father Sweeney Headstart Center and the DeLisle Headstart children. The money will be used for a Christmas program and to buy presents for the children. Head teacher Mrs. Rosa Whitlock (left) and Mrs. Tricia Deffees of the policy council were present at the presentation.

Tree seedlings available to landowners

Limited quantities of several tree seedling species are still available to Mississippi landowners from State Forestry Commission nurseries according to a December 4 report from the office of State Forester Bill Gaddis.

Still available for purchase and delivery during this winter's planting season are: Black Locust (25 thousand), Sweetgum (23 thousand), Cottonwood cuttings (25 thousand), Virginia Pine (A popular species for growing Christmas trees - 35 thousand seedlings still available), and a few Scotch Pine (Also enjoying some popularity for Christmas tree growing in North Mississippi).

The seedlings may be bought in bundles of 250 for \$4.25 per bundle, delivered; or in bundles of one thousand, delivered, for \$17.00 a thousand. Cottonwood cuttings cost slightly more than other species - \$4.50 per bundle.

OLG presents Yule program

Our Lady of the Gulf School will present its Christmas

Echoes

Major Byron Patton Favre left Monday for Homestead Air Force Base, Miami, Fla., after a week's visit with his mother Mrs. A.G. Favre and family.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Michel were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Jean Sabathier and Mr. Michel's sister Mrs. Genevieve Maxion, all of New Orleans.

of 250 or \$18.00 a thousand, delivered.

Applications for purchase of the seedlings are available from any Forestry Com-

mission office. Some County Agent's offices across the state also have seedling applications available.

A Commission spokesman said that the small supply of seedlings still available will not last long. "If anyone is interested in ordering some for planting between now and the end of March they had better hurry to the local County Forester's office," he said.

The Forestry Commission produced more than 60 million tree seedlings for planting by Mississippi landowners this year.

Holiday shower fetes Ms. Allen

Miss Janet Marie Allen, bride-elect of Michael James Ryan, was honored with a surprise miscellaneous bridal shower December 12 hosted by Misses Susan and Theresa Ryan at their Union Street home.

A Christmas theme was used in the decorations and gifts were presented the honoree by Santa Claus.

Miss Allen and the mothers,

Mrs. Avery Allen Jr. and Mrs. James A. Ryan, were presented Christmas corsages.

Mrs. Ryan and Susan presided at the cake table and Misses Caroline Allen and Theresa Ryan assisted in serving.

Miss Allen and Mr. Ryan will be married December 21 at Our Lady of the Gulf Catholic Church.



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Secretary of the Interior Rogers, C. B. Morton will accept the deed to the land, located along the Missouri River near Pickstown, S.D., at a ceremony in the Federation's Washington headquarters and immediately designate it as a National Wildlife Refuge.

The transfer will climax a unique "Save a Living Thing" fund-raising campaign undertaken just four months ago by the nonprofit National Wildlife Federation and the 7-Eleven Food Stores Division of the Southland Corporation, of Dallas, Tex. Southland donated one cent from the sale of each "Slurpee" drink in its 5,000 convenience food stores to a fund for acquisition of the land, which serves as a winter home for approximately 15 per cent of the bald eagles remaining in the "lower 48" states.

The food stores, in 41 states, sold more than 20 million of the crushed-ice drinks in special containers depicting 60 different mammals, birds, reptiles and fish now on the world "endangered species" list. Each plastic "collector's

cup" carried a brief description of the animal depicted and a report on its current status.

"The campaign not only raised enough money to secure a permanent sanctuary for our national symbol, but it alerted millions of Americans to the dangers of pesticides, stream pollution, the drainage of wetlands, and other threats to our wildlife," said Thomas L. Kimball, executive vice president of the National Wildlife Federation.

In addition to the more than \$200,000 raised by the sale of soft drinks, other funds were raised by cash contributions made at 7-Eleven stores and checks mailed directly to the National Wildlife Federation.

With the money NWF purchased 818.7 acres of land outright and a conservation easement covering another 305 acres. Approximately 19 acres of the acquired land lies across the state line in Nebraska; all of the remainder is in South Dakota.

The Missouri River bottomland to be designated as a National Wildlife Refuge, about two miles below the Fort Randall Dam, has served as a winter home for as many as 300 bald eagles in recent years. Tall cottonwood trees provide roosting areas and the river provides fish and other feed.

Water rushing downstream from the dam keeps the river from freezing, even in sub-zero weather, at that point.

The site also supports a wide variety of other wildlife, including whitetail deer, bobwhite quail, wild turkey, fox, coyote, opossum, raccoon, and an occasional bobcat.

The northern bald eagle, though not officially an endangered species, has dwindled in numbers to where there are now only about 2,000 in the contiguous states (Alaska excluded). A familiar figure on the Presidential seal, the U.S. dollar, and many other official documents, it was adopted as the national symbol by the Continental Congress in 1782.

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Or select an attractive key chain that doubles as a mini-flashlight as a practical gift that will eliminate night-time key-hole fumbling. For the multi-key holder, choose a four-hook key case that also includes a mini-flashlight. Both items include long-lasting batteries.

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A colorful ribbon may be the only packaging needed to wrap a "Dirty Dog" figurine. These jaunty conversation pieces for dens and offices make attractive under-the-tree surprises. Each has a humorous caption.

A Creative Stitchery Kit or a Burlap Yarn Kit from Leisure Life, are in the \$5 range, and are crafty gifts for the hobbyist. For the budding artist, consider such Skylight Studio items as oil painting kits, paints, drawing rags, cleansers and detergents. Don't forget to keep your vacuum cleaner with its attachments handy for quick clean-ups. Post a stain-removal chart in the area. You can get one by sending your name, address and 10 cents in stamps or coins to: The Eureka Stain Guide, 1201 East Bell Street, Dept. FS, Bloomington, Ill. 61701.

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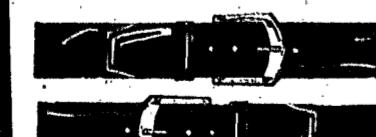
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The Mississippi Association of Realtor Boards Inc. recent convention at the Sheraton Motor Inn in Biloxi proved to be a special day indeed for (L-R) Mrs. Nell Frisbie, Mrs. Edith Dantagnan, and Mrs. Maggie Hayden, all of Dantagnan Realty in Bay St. Louis. Each received their certificates of completion of the 90 hour Graduate Realtors Institute professional realtor's course and the title of GRI. Course work included real estate management, finance, appraising, management, and legal aspects of the realty market among other subjects.

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Receives
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Gerald J. Boos Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald J. Boos Sr. of Clermont Harbor, will receive his bachelor's degree from the Agriculture and Mechanical College of Louisiana State University Friday Dec. 20.

He is married to the former Ms. June Valvis of New Orleans. Both plan to attend graduate work next fall.



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Keep the hassle to a minimum this year by putting first things first. If giving a party is high on your list of priorities, give yourself plenty of time to plan and get ready. Party food is important, but fun is the goal, so plan food that will contribute to the good time, not tie you down unnecessarily.

Home economists for Union Carbide Corporation's Food Science Institute recommend these Liver Pate Tarts because they can be made in advance.

And the pate is simpler than recipes that begin by sauteing livers, then mashing. In this recipe, liverwurst is used right from the package, with no loss in flavor, and a big gain in work savings and economy.

The "crust" for the tarts is really bread that has been pressed into miniature baking cups and baked, sparing you the job of making pie crust. Just fill the cooled shells with a savory mixture of mashed liverwurst, sour cream, sherry and seasonings. Slide them in the refrigerator, and come serving time, they'll be waiting for you.

LIVER PATE TARTS
9 thin slices sandwich bread,
crusts removed
1/2 lb. liverwurst
2 Tbsp. dairy sour cream

Shower
entertains
Miss Collins

A miscellaneous bridal shower honoring Miss Linda Collins, bride-elect of Ezzie Price, Jr., was given Saturday, December 7, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Price, Bay St. Louis.

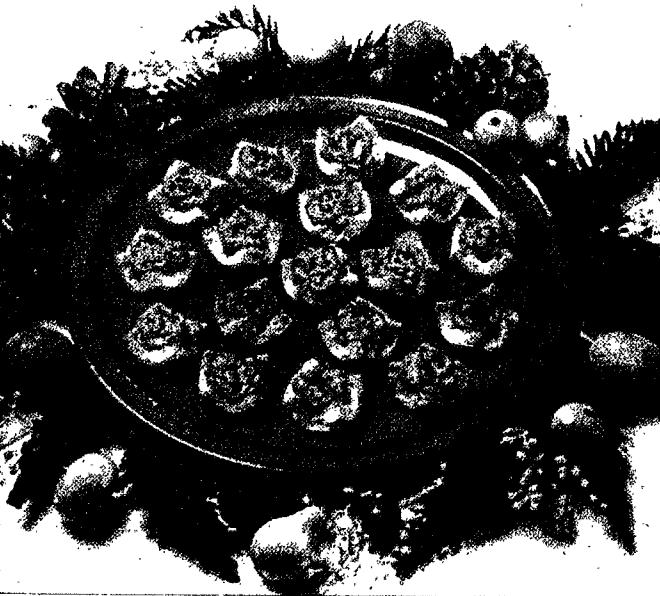
Hostesses were Mrs. Lillie Price and ladies of the First Missionary Baptist Church. Guests were served from a lovely Christmas terrarium-centered table of red and green.

The wedding will be Saturday, January 4 at 4 p.m. in First Missionary Baptist Church in Bay St. Louis.

1 Tbsp. dry sherry
2 tsp. instant minced onion
1 tsp. bitters
1 tsp. dijon-style mustard
1/8 tsp. thyme

Cut bread slices into quarters; press each square into a buttered miniature baking cup, about 1 1/4" in diameter. Bake in a pre-

heated 400°F. oven 8 to 10 minutes until lightly browned. Cool. Mash liverwurst; add remaining ingredients, stirring until blended. Spoon about 1 teaspoon liverwurst mixture into each tart. Refrigerate until serving time. Garnish with chopped parsley or paprika. Makes 3 dozen.



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**New emphasis on astronomy
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JACKSON STATE - The department of General Science and Physics at Jackson State University is placing a new emphasis on astronomy.

The department presently offers only two courses in astronomy for general science and physics majors but is planning to add four new courses for the 1975-76 school year as electives for these majors and for the general public. Dr. William C. Straka, assistant professor of General Science and Physics, indicates that the new courses will include General Astronomy, Life In The Universe, Cosmology, and Astrophotography.

In support of these and other astronomy courses to be offered in the near future, the University Observatory is being equipped with a 14-inch Schmidt - Cassegrain telescope to supplement its two 8-inch telescopes, 8-inch Schmidt camera, 6-inch reflector, 5-inch reflector, two 5-inch refractors, and several smaller instruments. One of the largest telescopes in the

State, the 14-inch with its auxiliary instruments - will have full photographic and electronic ability.

In response to a renewed interest in astronomy by

students and the general public, a weekly "Open Night" at the observatory was initiated in the fall. From 7:00 to 8:30 each clear Tuesday night, the observatory is open for use by students, faculty, and the public to view the moon, star clusters, nebulae, and the various planets. Use of the observatory is open to persons interested in taking a

course in astronomy and persons interested in astronomy as a hobby.

Dr. Charlie J. Smith, head of the department of General Science and Physics, indicates that the department plans to utilize the vast research, teaching, and publication background of Dr. Straka to upgrade course offerings in astronomy to "Minor" status

initially and to "Major" and department status in the foreseeable future.

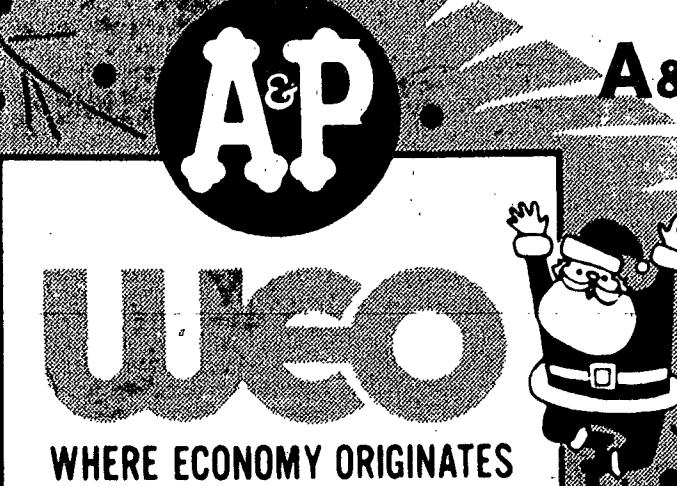
Prior to joining the Jackson State faculty last September, Dr. Straka - who teaches astronomy and directs the observatory - was assistant professor of Astronomy and supervisor of Judson Coit Memorial Observatory at Boston University (1971-74);

research assistant at UCLA (1963-66); teaching assistant at UCLA (1963-64); guide at Griffith Observatory and Planetarium (1963); and research assistant to Dr. Otto Struve at the California Institute of Technology in the summer of 1962. From 1966 to 1970, Dr. Straka was in astronomy at Long Beach (California) City College.

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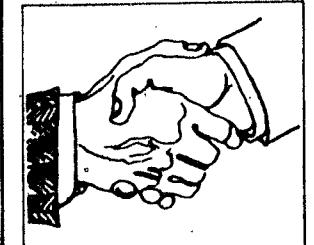
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By RUBY MASCHKE
Copley News Service

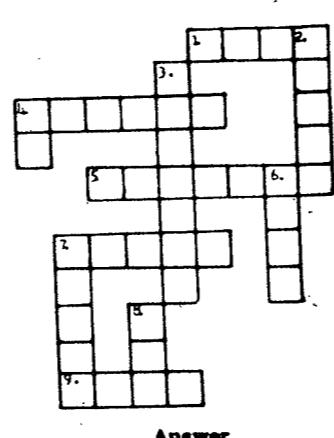
Choose appropriate synonyms to the words listed below to complete the quotations — and fill out the crossword puzzle.

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4. Leap
5. Adored
7. Adored
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Down
2. Beacon
3. Pleasured
4. Thus
6. Possess
7. Got along
8. Energy source

Quote

"Is it (4d) — (1) — a
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in the (4a) —, To have (7a) —,
to have (5) —, To have
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Answer

"Is it so small a thing To
have enjoyed the sun, To have
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PFC BOBBY WELLS
Marine PFC Bobby M. Wells, whose wife Evelyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juanita Wilson of 425 Citizen St., Bay St. Louis, Miss., graduated from recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

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LT. LEROY J. SWANIER
Marine Second Lieutenant LeRoy J. Swanier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Swanier of 325 Fleitas Ave., Pass Christian, Miss., made his first solo flight in a Navy aircraft at Pensacola, Fla.

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RANDALL SHEFFIELD
Navy Airman Recruit Randall Sheffield of 1208 E. Canal St., Picayune, Miss., graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego.

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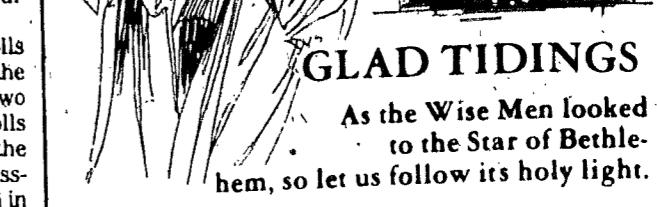
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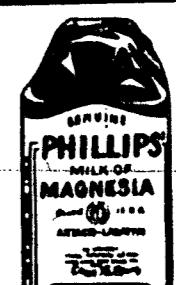
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SECTION C

How to make some bread bulbs

Start your own family tradition by making bread dough Christmas tree ornaments.

You don't need to have impossible-to-find, old ice cream molds as Mrs. Ned Merritt has.

"You can get small chocolate candy molds which would be fun for the children," she says.

The recipe for the dough calls for four cups of unsifted flour, one cup salt and one and one-half cups water.

"Knead it thoroughly with your hands. Place the dough in a plastic bag to keep it moist."

"Before pressing it into the mold, knead a small piece of the dough until it has a smooth surface with no cracks."

"Flour the surface of the dough before putting it in the mold."

Mrs. Merritt found this makes it easy to get the dough out of the mold, and also gives the dough a slight sheen when baked.

After pressing the dough firmly into the mold, turn it out on a cutting board.

Using an Exacto knife or a sharp paring knife, trim off rough edges.

Then insert a small wire loop in the top of the ornament.

Bake at 300 degrees.

Mrs. Merritt has to bake her large molds three to four hours, but for the small chocolate molds she suggests checking after one-half hour.

The dough should be a pale, golden brown, and sound "dry" when tapped with a fingernail.

Cool, then spray with a clear, high-gloss resin which is found in floral supply stores.

If you wish to paint the ornaments, use a fine-point felt pen before applying the resin.

Kept in a dry place they will last indefinitely.

An off-beat Christmas dictionary

A few words and phrases you're likely to encounter during this holiday season:

— WHITE CHRISTMAS: What a lot of people in Southern California are glad to be away from.

— CHRISTMAS RECORD: Ending the year with enough money in the bank to pay the bills which will arrive in January.

— THE TWELFTH DAY OF CHRISTMAS: The Sixth Day of January. All the bills should be in by then.

— CHRISTMAS JAM: What you're after pushing all the outgoing Christmas cards through the slot at the Post Office, then remembering on the way home that all of them had eight-cent stamps affixed, with 10-cents required.

— CHRISTMAS TURKEY: What you may be eating leftovers of on the Twelfth Day of Christmas.

— HOLIDAY FICTION: Report, given at home, of what went on at the Christmas party.

— TIS THE SEASON TO BE JOLLY: and what's a word that, rhymes with "holly"?"

— CANDLELIGHT SERVICE: How dinner is served after Dad blows all the fuses trying to make Junior's electric train operative.

— THREE WISE MEN: The fellows who checked in advance about the Boss' favorite brand of Scotch.

— PRICE TAG: Usually removed, to the disappointment of comparison-minded females.

— TREE TRIMMER: Head of household who buys eight-foot Christmas tree, then discovers on arriving home that house has seven-foot ceilings.

— PERSONAL SHOPPER: Husband who boldly invades lingerie section and can tell his wife's size.



1974-75
Bearcats

Harrison Central

bombs Bearcats 99-52

The Long Beach Bearcats dropped its fourth game in a row and its seventh in nine starts when Harrison Central outscored them in route to a 99-52 win Saturday. Robert Graham and Jerry Hoskins led the Red Rebels with 19 and 17 points respectively. Jimmy Nelson and Steve Simpson led the Bearcats scorers with 14 points apiece. In girls' play Harrison Central downed the Bearkittens 52-37.

The Bearcats next game will be Friday at Lumberton.

PLAYERS	Rebounds	Points	Game Avg.
Mike Keenan	59	116	7.1
Steve Simpson	65	61	6.7
Joe Holley	3	6	.6
John Croenne	9	90	10
Scott Martin	12	15	1.6
Gary Darden	22	35	3.9
Jeff Beatty	8	31	3.4
David Ladner	42	59	6.5
Steve Ladner	7	6	.6
Jimmy Nelson	17	89	9.9
Sonny Seal	7	10	1.1
David Raggio	3	10	1.1

OLA wins, wins, wins, and loses

OLA's basketball teams had a successful week with three wins in their last four outings. December 10 the Crescents travelled to Gulfport High and lost a close game to the Commodores 38-24. Paula Bradshaw of Gulfport was the game's high scorer with 21 points. High scorers for OLA were Linda Ladner with 9 and Tricia Shyiu with 6.

Last Friday OLA's senior high and junior high teams swept a basketball doubleheader from Coast Episcopal. The junior high team scored a convincing 27-6 win with Liz Holmes and Amy

Hille leading the OLA scorers with seven and six points respectively. S. McNaire led the Coast scorers with 6 points. The senior high team squeezed out a hard-fought 27-26 win. Ann Johnson of Coast Episcopal led all scorers with 11 points, and Daren Swiley led the Crescent's scoring attack with 9.

Then Monday night the Crescents defeated Sacred Heart 48-23. Three OLA players scored in double figures—Linda Ladner, Tricia Shyiu, and Daren Swiley. Lyn Smith led the Sacred

Heart Rebels with 10 points.

OLA's senior high team now has a record of 3-5, and the junior high holds a 1-2 record.



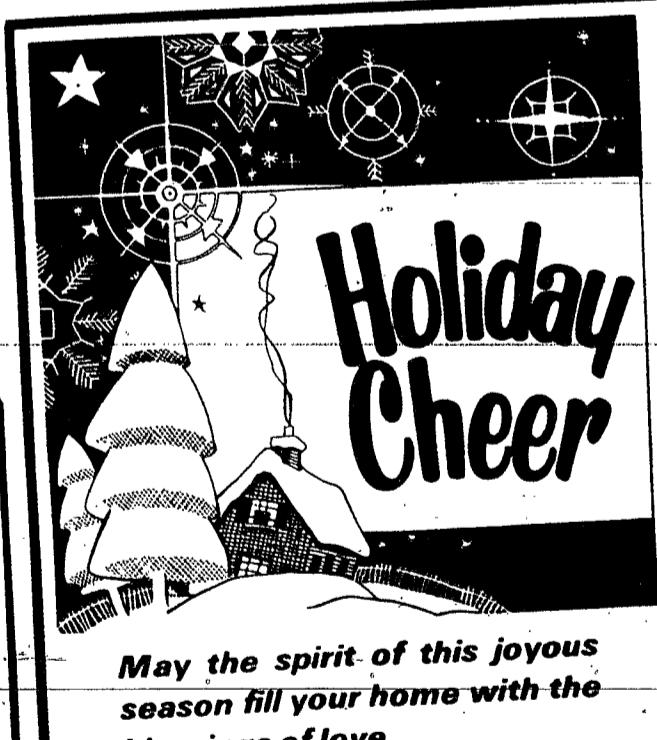
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Lewis' 37 points carries

Hawks over St. John, 83-74

Jack Lewis ripped the St. John Eagles for 37 points last Wednesday as Hancock North Central put away St. John 83-74 on the Eagles home court.

Lewis hit from all parts of the court to basket 17 field

goals and also managed to bucket three from the free throw line. His shooting performance was one of the best this season in high school basketball on the coast.

For St. John it was a downward road to defeat. The

Eagles carried a 24-14 opening quarter lead and held a 42-34 advantage at the intermission.

The Hawks closed the gap to four, 56-52, during the third eight minutes of play.

With Kerry Johnson fouling out late in the game and with Pat Prejean, Pat McNally and Kearney Bobinger each holding four penalties, the Hawks mounted a 31 point scoring effort in the final period.

Pat Prejean was the headliner for the Eagles with 24 points, Bobinger posted 19 and Johnson 18.

The Hancock North Central Hawkettes won the girls' game 68-23 with Natalie Malley leading the way with 18. Cheryl Johnson added 16 and Lanette Randall scored 10.

St. John, 6-1 overall, will play at East Central Friday evening.

Hancock North Central will begin competing in the Lumberton tournament Thursday.

HANCOCK NORTH

Players	FG	FT	PF	TP
Shaw	5	3	3	13
Ladner, B.	2	2	5	6
Seal	8	1	4	17
Necaise	8	3	3	37
Lewis	17	3	3	6
Seal	3	0	0	2
Necaise, T.	1	0	0	2
Ladner, K.	0	2	2	2
TOTALS	35	11	21	83

ST. JOHN

Players	FG	FT	PF	TP
Prejean	8	6	4	24
Johnson	9	0	5	15
McNally, P.	4	1	4	9
Villereal	1	0	1	2
Bobinger	8	3	4	19
Steele	0	2	1	2
Otto	0	0	2	0
TOTALS	30	14	21	74

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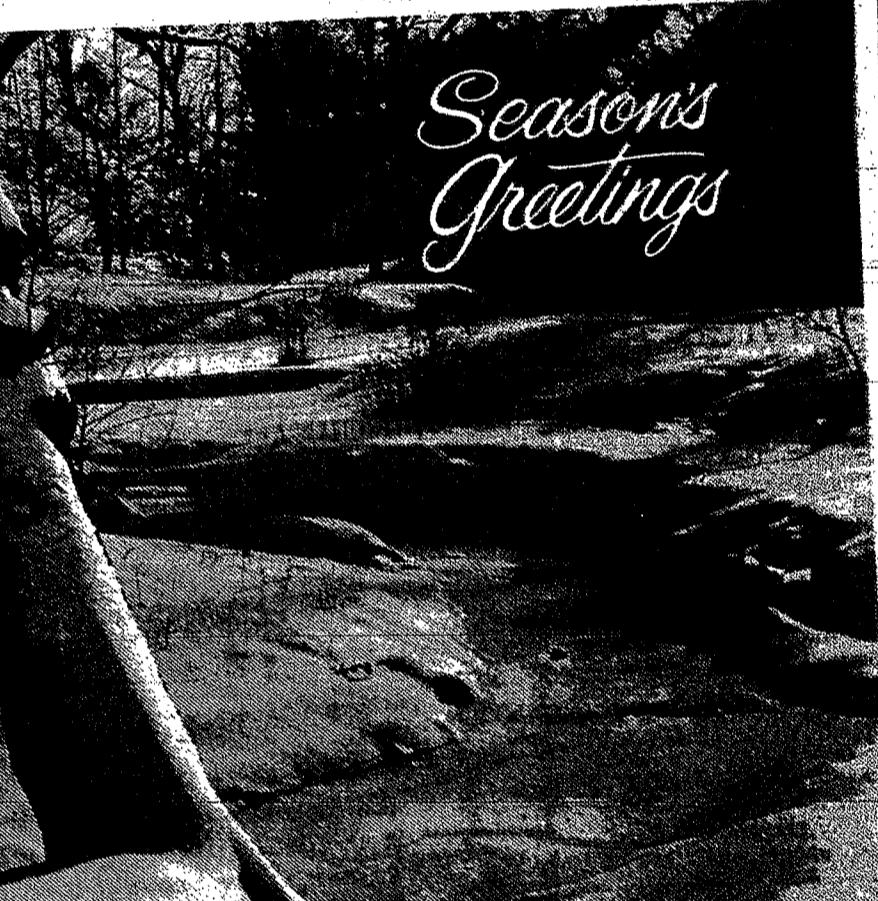
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Tiger forward Allison Farve Whavers are the first two and Tigerette Perry Ann offensive "players-of-the-



Sandra Lyons
Defensive player-of-the-week



Perry Whavers
Offensive player-of-the-week

Payton to be honored

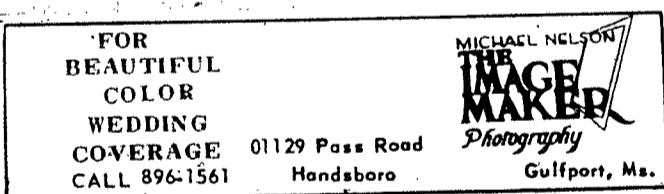
Walter Payton, a Jackson State running back who could be the No. 1 draft choice in the college selections next month, will be among 22 players honored Wednesday as members of the Black All-America team.

Comedian Flip Wilson hosts the festivities that is co-sponsored by the Black Mutual Network and attracts some of the top black athletic leaders in sports.

The players at the second annual lunch are re-

cipients of \$5,000 scholarship prizes.

Allison Farve
Offensive
player-of-the-week



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week" to be selected by the Bay High coaching staff in the Echo sponsored recognition corner.

Farve has led his teammates in scoring since joining the Tiger lineup full time against Ocean Springs—averaging over 20 points per game for the past five games. Farve scored 25 points against D'Iberville Monday to lead all scorers.

Whavers, the little dynamo of the Tigerettes, is a consistent floor leader and shooter and contributed 16

points in the Tigerette's winning effort over the D'Iberville girls Monday 49-32. The opposition often only catches a blur of the number 40 jersey as Whavers puts on a dazzling series of moves to the basket.

Mike Magee and Sandra Lyons are the first two cagers to share defensive player-of-the-week selections, while Arnold Faircunette and Margie Richardson were chosen for this week's hustle award.

SPORTS

Tigers, 91-66

MOSS POINT, Miss. — Moss Point's Mitch Davis gave a demonstration of "how to play forward" with 30 points and 17 rebounds and the Tigers beat Hancock North Central 91-66 Tuesday night.

Davis was followed in the scoring parade by Mike Smith with 14, Billy Dolson with 12 and George Bolton with 10.

Jack Lewis pumped in 20 points to lead the Hancock effort. Bennie Ladner showed 15 and Randall Shaw 14.

Moss Point won the B team game 68-66. Keith Robinson scored 13 for the winners and Ben Ladner 13 for the losers.

Moss Point, now 7-3, next sees action in the Brookhaven tournament, which begins Wednesday.

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Player	FG	FT	PF	TP
J. Smith	1	2	3	14
B. Dolson	3	0	0	12
G. Bolton	3	0	0	10
M. Smith	16	2	4	14
D. Davis	2	1	2	9
R. Chapman	3	0	1	8
M. Edwards	3	0	1	7
M. Lewis	1	0	0	2
J. Nettles	1	0	0	2
R. Noses	1	0	0	2
E. Parker	1	0	0	2
K. Robinson	1	0	0	2
TOTALS	36	18	17	91

Player FG FT PF TP

R. Shaw 5 4 3 14

B. Ladner 5 0 0 15

J. Neatle 2 0 0 4

J. Lewis 2 0 0 4

B. Parker 2 0 0 4

TOTALS 22 19 15 66

Score By Quarters: 21 28 15 27 27 27

Moss Point 9 17 25 15 66

Hancock 9 17 25 15 66

Pirates, 81-50

Pass Christian got scoring from 13 players as the Pirates soundly thumped East Central 81-50 Tuesday night in Pass Christian.

Wayne Bradley tallied 16, Mitch Garriga 13 and Robin Mally 10 for the winners. Brian Martin pumped in 21 points and Jim Kitchens added 10 for East Central.

A 32-point career-high performance by Connie Winstead highlighted a 63-28 win over East Central by the Pass girls. Mary Hill added 13.

Pass Christian plays host to Poplarville in girls' and boys' games Saturday night.

Score By Quarters: 21 28 15 27 27 27

Pass Christian 9 17 25 15 66

East Central 9 17 25 15 66

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— If circuits are busy when you place your call, please wait a few minutes before trying again.

— To avoid possible delays, make a list of your numbers prior to Christmas Day. If you need out-of-state directory assistance, dial one plus the area code and 555-1212. For long distance numbers in Mississippi, dial one plus 555-1212.

Looking back over this year, many improvement and expansion projects have been completed throughout Mississippi. By the end of this year, over \$109 million will have been spent in new construction projects around the state, bringing to \$724 million the total invested to meet the communications needs of our Mississippi customers.

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Kiln Jaycees present awards ceremony

KILN, MISSISSIPPI - The Kiln Jaycees honored members of the first Little League Team ever organized in their community along with the team sponsors, community businessmen, school leaders, county officials and their own membership at a dinner and awards presentation held at Annunciation School Cafeteria December 6th.

The Jaycees, under the direction of President Ed Ruzicka organized and managed three teams that participated in the Harrison Hancock Athletic Association this year. The affair is the first of its type held under the auspices of the Jaycees and will be an annual event, expanding to recognize all outstanding individuals having an interest in youth development through athletics.

Following the dinner prepared by Jaycee Tommy Pavolini and served by the membership, Jaycee chaplain Father Bertin Glennon of Hancock North Central

Annunciation parish gave the invocation and Jaycee M. J. Necaise led the pledge of allegiance.

The parents, guests and players, approximately 150 strong, were welcomed by President Ruzicka, who introduced the Kiln Jaycee Officers for 1974-75 and thanked those present for their overwhelming acceptance of the Jaycee invitation.

AWARDS PRESENTATIONS

Favre said, is one of the few schools not presently offering baseball to round out the available sports activities for children in the county. He encouraged parents to make a concerted effort to add baseball to the sports program at North Central. Favre noted numerous scholarships are available for outstanding baseball players as well as in the other sports.

The awards presentation which followed included sponsors as well as distinguished service awards. Each was presented a framed certificate of appreciation and team picture. Sponsor awards were presented to the Quick and Grice Company, Picayune and Kiln Supermarket; C.N.S. Supplies, Kiln.

Special Assistance Awards were presented Parkers Grocery, Sam Haas, Jr., Hancock County Board of Supervisors, J. N. Travica and Annunciation School.

Distinguished Service Awards were presented by Robert G. Bilbo, C. J. Cameron, Philip R. Hoda, Bertin Glennon, Keith Hoda, M. J. Necaise, J. V. Haas and Larry L. Morrison and Ed Ruzicka. All were either coaches or managers of the three Kiln Little League Teams.

Honor certificates were presented to all players completing the Little League season including The Kiln Quick and Grice Cardinals, and players: Kendall Necaise, Timothy Cameron, Derrick Collier, Andrew Bennett, Philip R. Hoda, Jr., Darren Hoda, Michael Bilbo, Roy Mitchell, Norman Ladner, Ricky Maupray, Vincent Halterlein, Gary Necaise, Neal Necaise, Jr., Christopher Whitfield, Kermit Ladner, Christopher Hoda, Robert Lyons and Regan Necaise.

The Kiln Athletics: Kevin LaCoste, Dean Necaise, Christopher Halterlein, Dennis LaCoste, Eugene

Bob Bienvenu's hobby is gardening. Dancing is his favorite sport. Says he don't have time to fish. Still has to work.

Was a pleasure meeting Don Moore, president and General Mgr. of Radio Station WPUP. Don's main sports are fishing and golf. He said he doesn't have time to enjoy either. The time will come later, fellow.

Donald Mauffray, Senior Citizens Recreation Director for Hancock County likes fresh water fishing when he can go. He said his brother Woodrow (Poss) is the big fisherman of the family. He goes at least once a week and sometime more than that. Poss fishes our bayous and rivers, bringing home his share of the finny tribe.

Marvin Kelly of Pearlring caught over 200 Red Fish

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As for other sports the Diamondhead Ladies Golf Association elected new officers for 1975 as follows: President-Gloria Forstall, Bay St. Louis; vice-president-Char Hanson, Pass Christian; secretary-Joycelyn Treach, New Orleans; and treasurer-Marion Englehorn, Bay St. Louis. Ida Mae Snow is the new tournament chairman. She is at Diamondhead. The ladies golf association is a very active group.

The Senior Citizen's R.S.V.P. award party was held Friday at the American Legion Home in Waveland with over 200 people attending. The affair was under the supervision of Mildred Fisher, Director, Theresa James, Asst. Director and Joe Judaway, Driver of the R.S.V.P. station wagon. Awards were made to members of the organization, supper was served and dancing.

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In two surprise presentations, President Ruzicka

recognized Irving LaCoste as the recipient of the 1974 Outstanding Civic Contributions Award for his acute awareness of the needs of the community and his unselfish donations to the Jaycees to further their goal of youth recreation on the county level and Jaycee Larry L. Morrison as the recipient of the 1974 Outstanding Jaycee Award for his efforts in helping to reorganize the chapter and his contributions to the long range planning on the Youth Recreation Program adopted by the Jaycees.



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Tigers snap D'Iberville 84-57



Tigerettes and coach Willie Bradley, 9-1 for the season, added D'Iberville to their list of victims Monday night as they downed scrappy D'Iberville team 49-32. The Bay High girls' only loss was to Harrison Central last Friday night.



Here's hoping that Santa brings lots of good things your way! Thank you.

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After dropping a 91-49 game to the Harrison Central Red Rebels last Friday at Harrison Central, the Bay High Tigers came bounding back to destroy D'Iberville 84-57 before an appreciative Tiger home crowd. The win boosted the Tiger record to 7-3 for the early season.

It was the second loss for the D'Iberville Warriors at the hand of the Tigers who clipped them 74-69 in the Tigers' second game of the season.

Meanwhile the Bay High girls put together their ninth win of the season against only one loss with a 49-32 win over the D'Iberville girls. The Tigerettes under Coach Willie Bradley also lost to Harrison Central last Friday.

Forward Allison Farve

continued his domination of

Tiger scoring since returning

to the Tiger lineup after an

early season ankle injury with

25 points against D'Iberville to

lead all scorers. Farve's

points came on 12 field goals

and one free throw.

Tiger guard Donald Lott

added 20 points to follow

Farve, while floor general

Arnold Fairconnete hit six

field goals and three free

throws for 15 points.

Perry Whavers and Cindy

Stieffel hit for 16 and 12 points

respectively to lead the Bay

High girls over D'Iberville.

Connie Payne added 10 and

Sandra Lyons seven.

Friday the Tigers travel to

Notre Dame in Biloxi where

the girls play Sacred Heart

and the boys take on the

Rebels.

In junior high play the Bay

St. Louis ninth graders beat

Pass Christian 54-52 in

overtime Monday night.

Mike Thompson was high

scorer for Bay St. Louis with

32 points. Culen Swanner had

24 and Greg Jeffries 10 for

Pass Christian.

Bay St. Louis also won a

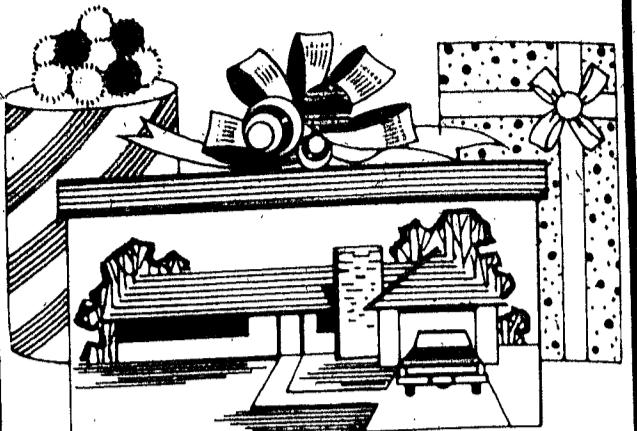
ninth grade girls game 31-21,

but Pass Christian won the

seventh and eighth grade

girls' game 19-16.

Holiday Greetings



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Multiple sclerosis is one of the diseases that puts people out of action and in wheelchairs — "cages of steel," to them. It is often called "the mysterious crippler of young adults."

Currently conducting its annual "Multiple Sclerosis Education Month" campaign to better acquaint the public with the serious dimensions of the illness, the Mississippi Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society calls attention to a unique Society project, "Athletes vs. MS," in which many young sports stars are setting a fine

example by rallying to help those who have MS.

The "Athletes vs. MS" project, according to Notre Dame football coach Ara Parseghian, Chairman of the Society's National Sports Committee and its 1974 MS Hope Chest Campaign Chairman, seeks to involve athletes at all levels — professional, collegiate, high school — in a program that will both bolster patient morale and the Society's research-patient service efforts.

"Our drive is unique," Parseghian says, "in that we have a growing Who's Who of athletes and sports organizations volunteering their services in support of a single cause in an organized program."

Parseghian himself is deeply involved in the MS fight, since three members of his family have been afflicted by it.

He notes that top figures from baseball, football, hockey, basketball, tennis,

golf, boxing, soccer, auto racing and figure skating have all volunteered their names and energies toward aiding the Society. The list includes Billie Jean King, the tennis star; Hank Aaron, home run champion of the Atlanta Braves; Muhammad Ali, long-time leading heavyweight boxer; Tom Seaver, top pitcher of the New York Mets; Lee Trevino,

leading professional golfer; Janet Lynn, the ice skating champion; Brooks Robinson, of the Baltimore Orioles; Don Shula, head coach of the World Champion Miami Dolphins; John Havlicek, captain of the Boston Celtics; National Basketball Association Champions; Bobby Clarke, captain of the Stanley Cup champion Philadelphia Flyers hockey team; and Bobby, Al

and Louie Unser (Louie has MS), the auto racing family — all of whom have donated their time to make TV or radio public service announcements for MS.

The National Multiple Sclerosis Society is the only national voluntary health agency supporting worldwide research on MS, a chronic, crippling disease that affects hundreds of thousands of Americans and millions more in other countries. Since its founding in 1946, the Society has allocated nearly \$24 million for MS research and millions more for patient services.

The Mississippi Game and Fish Commission reported this week that arrests for game law violations have increased dramatically over last year, with the number of deer headlighting cases this season already exceeding total convictions during the 1973-74 license year.

Attributing the increased number of arrests to the commission's "Report That Violator" campaign, Chief Law Enforcement Officer William Peavy called the

program "a classic example of what public cooperation can do."

"People have started calling conservation officers, when they hear shooting in the middle of the night," Peavy continued, "and their tips have resulted in dozens of arrests that would have been impossible to make without public support."

Sportmen who witness or learn of illegal hunting are urged to contact their local conservation officer or call the Game and Fish Commission

Hunter Education Available

With an appropriation of \$66,000 from the 1974 legislature, the Mississippi Firearm and Hunter Education Program was given final public acceptance by legislators and sportsmen. Today the program in Mississippi is ranked as one of the nation's top five hunter safety programs.

First organized in 1971 and assigned top priority by the Game and Fish Commission in 1972, the Firearm and Hunter Education Program, also known as Hunter Safety, is organized on a statewide level with the actual instruction being carried out by county 4-H youth, Game and Fish conservation officers and local citizens.

"These 4-H youth agents are the backbone of the safety training program," comments Terry Beckman, program administrator with the Game and Fish Commission.

"These agents, working under the leadership of Dr. W. M. Boss of the Cooperative Extension Service at Mississippi State University, have been most instrumental in supporting the program in every way. To date the agents are training about 80 percent of those students certified under the program. And that's a big number."

The big number of students that the Firearm and Hunter Education Program is training is due to "planning, hard work and support," according to State Conservation Director Avery Wood. "We have set our goal as being number one in the country while completely eliminating hunting fatalities and injuries."

Originally initiated in Mississippi as a token program to follow a trend set by other state conservation agencies, the program today in Mississippi has a budget of



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At This Holy Time

May the spiritual meaning of the season be with you this Christmas, and bring its blessing

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Brothers of the Sacred Heart
St. Stanislaus College



Tricia Skyles (33) and Mary Tradell (12) keep a close eye on a Sacred Heart player and cut off the fast break attempt. OLA also cut off the Sacred Heart players several other times during the night to win 86-37.

Rocks conquer Notre Dame, 86-37

The St. Stanislaus Rockhounds came alive in the first three periods of play Monday night to capture an 86-37 victory over the Notre Dame Rebels in high school basketball in Bay St. Louis.

Notre Dame, which took an early 23-10 first period lead, was unable to bear pace with the Rockhounds beginning with the second period when the Rebels dropped in 24 points to four for a Rebels 12-11 halftime lead.

Continuing to apply the pressure in the third period, St. Stanislaus moved to a 50-32 lead and moved easily to the win in the final stanza.

Robert Smith led the Rockhounds with 21 points while Sue Lang added 16. Chuck Genni had 14 and Dennis Brown 11. Ned Miller was high for Notre Dame with 13 and Stan Challenger collected 11.

St. Stanislaus' 12-11 lead was broken in the fourth period when the Rebels scored 15 points to 10.

The Rockhounds' 86-37 win was the second straight victory for the Rebels.

St. Stanislaus

PLAYERS	PG	PF	TP
Smith	2	2	5
Miller	2	2	5
Lang	2	2	5
Genni	2	2	5
Schuler	2	2	5
Zalana	2	2	5
Sumie	2	2	5
Brown	2	2	5
Foster	2	2	5
TOTALS	20	16	86

Notre Dame

PLAYERS	PG	PF	TP
Milner	5	5	15
Dallenger	4	4	12
Jenison	4	4	12
Huggins	4	4	12
Feltor	4	4	12
Brown, W.	4	4	12
Marano	4	4	12
Day	4	4	12
Foster	4	4	12
TOTALS	36	36	132

SCORES BY QUARTERS

St. Stanislaus 12 24 32 38

Notre Dame 12 4 7 14 37



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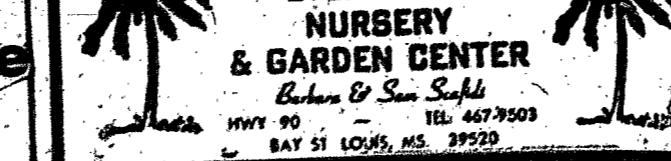


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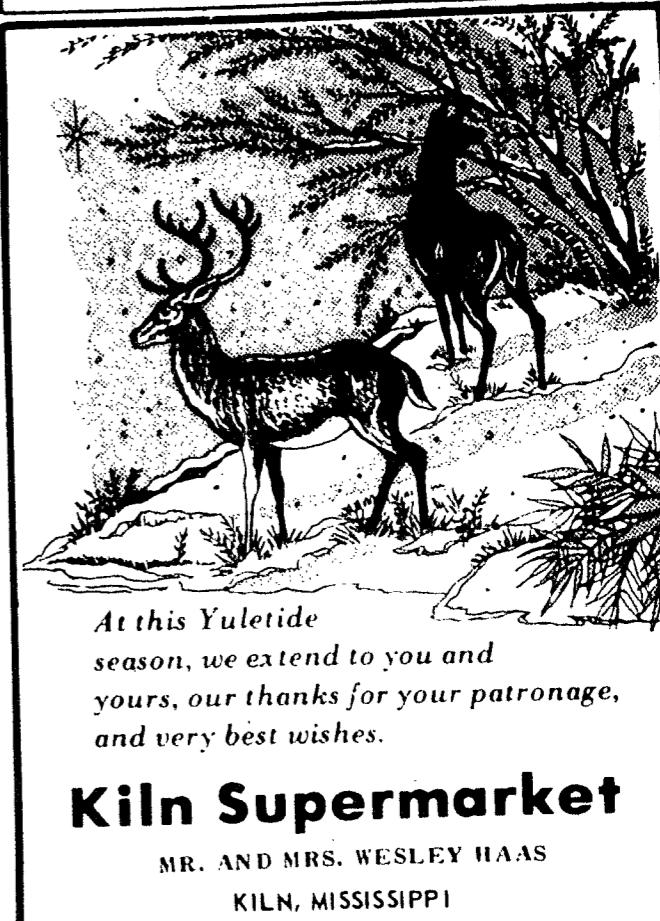
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Each passing year brings a deeper appreciation of the pleasant associations and loyal friendships acquired in the course of business.

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Season's Greetings

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DOWNTOWN BAY ST. LOUIS



William Carey College cheerleaders pose for the camera above following two opening victories for the campus Crusaders. Shown from left are Chyrel Taylor of Hattiesburg, Roberta Turner of Mobile, Sherry Larrimore of Tupelo, Anna Landon of Bay St. Louis and Peggy Johnson of Belle Chasse, La.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

Ho-ho-hope that Santa's good to you this Yuletide!

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CHRISTMAS Greetings

We hope the holidays ring in the best of everything for you!
At this joyous time, we'd like to take the opportunity to thank you
for your loyal patronage throughout the past year—we look
forward to serving you again in the years to come.

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